

More Feared Buried Under Train Debris

HARROW, England, Oct. 8 (AP) — Two speeding express trains crashed into a crowded commuters' train within a few seconds at Harrow station today and killed at least 85 persons in a great cauldron of wreckage and hissing steam. Forty more may be found under the mass of debris.

The known toll of injured taken to hospitals was 246. Late tonight, 16 hours after the wreck, rescuers still were digging into a 55-foot high mound of wreckage toward a coach buried at the bottom of the heap. Searchers figured probably 40 were entombed in the coach.

Officials said they expected the death toll might climb to 120 or so in this worst British railway disaster since May 15, 1915. A troop train and two passenger trains collided at Gretna, Scotland, on that date and killed 227 persons and injured 246.

Scotland yard at one time tonight announced the death figure at 116, but later said this was an error.

Under the glare of arc lights, workmen pumped oxygen into the mangled debris in Harrow station while rescuers with acetylene torches burned away entombed steel beams.

Police directed the operation with Walkie-talkies.

THE WRECK came at the height of the morning rush hour. A Scotland-to-London express, running 90 minutes late, screeched at 70 miles an hour into the rear coaches of a morning commuter train just as it was pulling out of Harrow station.

Seconds later, a businessman's express, outward bound from London for Manchester, ploughed at 45 miles an hour into the steaming wreckage.

The impact hurled two big locomotives across the packed station platform, cutting down scores of waiting passengers.

The erupting wreckage tossed into a great mound, tore down sections of an overhead foot bridge and spilled other passengers into the tangled mass.

The three trains together carried more than 1000 persons, per (Continued on Page Eight)

PEIPING RADIO in another rushy word broadcast declared the US "now stands branded before the world as wreckers of all peace-loving people in Asia and the world." The broadcast, heard in San Francisco, was quoting a special correspondent with the mistle team.

Officials in Washington said the higher authority was the US government, which presumably had after consulting other United States with troops in Korea.

(Secretary of State Acheson told a news conference the suspension was "an affirmative step toward obtaining an armistice.") He added the Allied team was ready to meet when ever the Communists agree to (Continued on Page Eight)

Area Low Spots Touched With Morning Frost

That tiny fellow with the peaked red nose and icy finger visited the Pottstown area's low spots yesterday, spreading thin films of ice on small pools of water and coating fields with frost. Though he couldn't freeze the water at the area's coldest spot, the Hill dam in Lower Pottsville township, he did send the mercury to a low of 26 for a little while.

Another local chilly spot, the roof of the Firestone plant, registered a teeth-chattering 37 degrees, the lowest in the borough it. At 6 a. m., was 41 degrees. The weatherman wouldn't comment on whether or not Jack Frost could return this morning, but he did say that the day would be cloudy and cool with a chance of rain in beginning, and not clearing until tomorrow.

\$300 Bail Set in Assault Case

A North Charlotte street man refused to testify at a hearing last night and was released under \$300 bail for court on a charge of assault and battery.

Lester M. Boughter, 244 North Charlotte street, governor of Pottstown Lodge 369, Loyal Order of (Continued on Page Five)

THE WEATHER
For Eastern Pennsylvania: cloudy and cool with chance of rain beginning today. Tomorrow clearing.



These'll Last a While! —Mercury Staff Photo

Pumpkin pie on the Fourth of July is about as rare as a thunderstorm on Christmas. But there's a little girl gardener on Sembling avenue who has a crop of pumpkins enough to last until Independence Day. Betty Ann Schmutz, 7, of 1113 Sembling avenue, showed a portion of her crop in the yard next to her home yesterday. Her brother, Frank Schmutz Jr., isn't much bigger than the pumpkins on his sister's harvest wagon.

Big Pumpkin Crop Raised by Little Girl

A young lady with more relish for pumpkins than Peter the Pumpkin eater inspected her 1952 harvest with pride yesterday afternoon.

On the green lawn beside her home at 1113 Sembling avenue, Betty Ann Schmutz, 7-year-old gardener daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Schmutz, took inventory.

With her red wagon, used to haul pumpkins from the garden in the rear of her home, and with her little brother, Frank Jr., 2, she counted the striped beauties stacked on the grass.

Betty's 16 by 24 foot lot produced between 50 and 60 long-neck pumpkins. Most of them are green and white striped, but a few are dark green and several pale yellow.

They vary in size, weighing from 16 to 18 pounds.

THIS PAST Spring, when other children were playing hop-scootch or hanging marbles, Betty was at work. She planted the pumpkin seeds which produced a record 4-year harvest in the Schmutz garden.

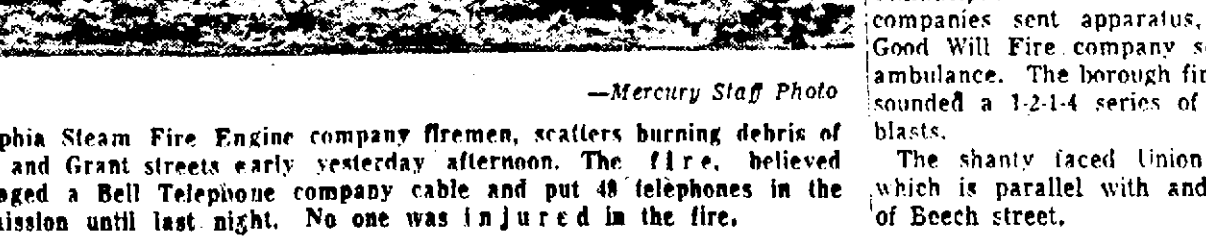
During the Summer she helped her father cultivate pumpkins, pull weeds and just watched the record harvest grow.

As a result of Betty's efforts the family will be able to eat pumpkin pie far into the Summer.

BETTY'S MOTHER, who is not enthusiastic about pumpkins because she takes care of household baking chores said, "I just cut my last pumpkin from the 1951 harvest the latter part of August. I hang them by the necks on the rafters in the attic and they keep for a long time. If we want too, we can eat them pie all year. But I seemed to live up fully to its ad-ged-tired of it."

Yesterday was pumpkin-sorting time and the neighbors along Sembling avenue were a pumpkin or two richer when the final count was taken.

An enormous wooden dressing case, complete with drawers and mirrors, and big enough to line the barber shop, among the items (Continued on Page Eight)



Victor L. Fegley, a Philadelphia Steam Fire Engine company fireman, scatters burning debris of a wooden shanty near Beech and Grant streets early yesterday afternoon. The fire, believed started by small boys, damaged a Bell Telephone company cable and put 48 telephones in the vicinity out of commission until last night. No one was injured in the fire.

Limerick, Royersford Prefer Own Jointure

Police Seek New Leads on Rape Attempt

Police are continuing their search for the driver of the late model black four-door Ford sedan, who allegedly attempted to rape a 49-year-old Pottstown woman in Chester county Tuesday.

North Coventry, Police Chief Daniel Guldin said investigations have been hampered by a lack of small information and that they added, plans to meet with Spring are waiting for anyone with information which will assist in making for an early arrest possible to come forward.

Meanwhile, Guldin has continued his investigation and, after examining the scene of the reported attack, said the victim's explanation of the affair coincides with evidence found at the scene.

Guldin said he was tracking down all leads and that he is attempting to establish the fact that the attempted attack took place as reported before he can actively work on the other angles.

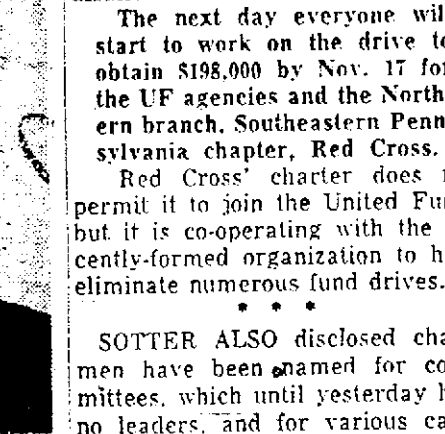
According to the victim, she was given a ride to the Pottstown police station by two women in a pickup truck following her experience.

Guldin said the victim described the two women as both having dark hair and were probably (Continued on Page Five)

State Police Officer Dies In Collision

A young State policeman who frequently had investigated highway accidents in the Pottstown area was killed in a three-way crash on Route 422 east of Reading early yesterday.

Reading State Trooper Lloyd M. Salmon, 24, who lives in Philadelphia, was off duty and was driving toward his barracks when



LLOYD M. SALMON

his car was struck by a truck that overturned and spun on the highway after it was hit by an oncoming car.

A hydraulic jack had to be used on the wreckage to free the State trooper, who had been pinned between the twisted steering wheel and the front seat.

Salmon was pronounced dead on arrival at Community General hospital, Reading. He suffered head and internal injuries.

READING STATE police and Police Chief Frank W. Noll, of St. Lawrence borough, east of Reading, arrested Frank G. Stutz, 26, Reading, driver of the other car.

Chief Noll said Stutz will be charged with reckless driving and driving on a learner's permit without being accompanied by a (Continued on Page Five)

Blazing Shack Causes Phone Service Trouble

Forty-nine telephones were put out of commission from 1:20 o'clock yesterday afternoon until last night by a fire that destroyed a small wooden shanty near the corner of Beech and Grant streets.

The shanty was next to a Bell Telephone company pole. Heat damaged a cable that had to be spliced into a new line.

Borough Fire Chief Richard E. Lindauer said he believed the fire had been caused by little boys who play around the shanty, which has been kept locked.

Limerick and Royersford school boards decided last night in the Limerick Consolidated school that they would prefer a small school jointure "at this time" to the nine-board jointure now under consideration.

Limerick Secretary J. Edward Wood said, however, "our minds are still open and we will attend future meetings of the other boards."

The two boards and those of Schwenksville, Collegeville, Trappe, Perkiomen, Skippack, Lower Frederick and Upper Providence met the past month to discuss a possible jointure. All the boards will meet again in Royersford High school Oct. 22.

The increasing cost of transporting pupils is the major reason why Limerick and Royersford favor the smaller jointure, Wood said. In a small jointure the children would not have to be transported distances so great as they would in a nine-board jointure.

Wood said the two boards mentioned Upper Providence as another possible member of a small jointure. Royersford, he added, plans to meet with Spring City's board sometime next week for a jointure discussion.

THE LIMERICK-ROYERSFORD discussion was begun during the Limerick board's October meeting. That board decided to contact its solicitor for advice on tax operation for religious organizations owning property when it was disclosed two such organizations in the township were being taxed while four others were not.

Wood said the Limerick chapel is paying taxes on a piece of ground behind the chapel and Linfield Reformed church is taxed on a house in which its sexton lives. He did not identify the four untaxed religious organizations.

The board wants to learn whether all the organizations or none should be taxed.

A discussion of the anticipated rise in school population next year resulted in the directors' realizing the district's transportation costs will soar about \$3600.

The district's current contract with a bus firm for five buses to carry its 429 elementary pupils to and from school will cost the district \$17,000.

The \$3600 is the estimated cost of a sixth bus. Four of the present buses make four trips each a day. The fifth makes six trips.

Watch Opt!

THE FIRE ate through the basement ceiling into an enclosed staircase leading from the first floor kitchen to the second floor. Only the rear and ceiling of the kitchen were damaged as the flames shot up the staircase to the altar, which is in an alcove about ten feet wide in the rear wall of the two-story building.

The heat was so great it caused the plaster ceiling of the church nave near a 5-foot arch at the (Continued on Page Five)

Lodges Hold Joint Ceremony

(Pictures on Page 2)

Twelve officers of Manatwamy Lodge 214, IOOF, and 16 officers of Lady Wittenmyer Lodge 20, Rebekah Lodge, were installed at public ceremonies of the combined lodges last night in the Odd Fellows Temple, 260 King street.

Martha Platt, district deputy in charge of installations, installed the Rebekah officers, assisted by the local Lodge.

Harold J. Rubright, district deputy of the Odd Fellows, installed the Manatwamy officers, assisted by members of Manatwamy Lodge and Economy Lodge, Collegeville.

Corrine Bechtel was made noble grand of the Rebekahs, succeeding Past Grand LaRue Seifert.

INSTALLED as noble grand of the Manatwamy Lodge was Harry Keeler, who succeeds Past Grand (Continued on Page Five)

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HELEN KULP
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JACK BAIRD
—having fun on a visit home.
JOYCE GILES
—discussing the eighth wonder of the world.

RED CONGRESS SETS ITS THEME

Party Line Is Russia Is So Strong People Don't Have War Worry

MOSCOW, Oct. 8 (AP) — Delegates to the 19th all-union Communist party congress, biggest meeting of Communist leaders in history, will take home this official party line: The USSR is so strong the people can work to build the Soviet economy without worrying about World War III.

The Congress is repeatedly hearing from Soviet leaders that, while these are dangerous times, the USSR is a bulwark of peace and, with the strength of the Communist world rallied round it, can stave off war. No speaker made the suggestion that the world is on the brink of war. They said, rather, that "American billionaires" prefer war to peace and generally denounced the United States. But all this, added up, would not necessarily mean war.

On the eve of the conference, Joseph Stalin said war was more likely among capitalist nations themselves than between the capitalist and Communist worlds. This theme was taken up by later speakers, including Georgi M. Malenkov, vice premier and keynoter for this Congress.

Attending this Congress in the great Palace of the Kremlin are 1192 delegates and 167 non-voting delegates representing candidates or probationary-party members in the 16 Soviet republics. Also here are at least 115 delegates from Communist parties of 45 countries. These include top Communists, such as Maurice Thorez of France and Luigi Longo of Italy.

The overall tone of the Congress as expressed in Soviet publications is one of confidence that Communism will win out peacefully in the long run over capitalism, which, the delegates are being told, is headed toward economic ruin. Malenkov has told the delegates the USSR is to be regarded no longer as "a lovely island encircled by capitalist countries," but as a nation allied with the Chinese, East Germans and "peoples' democracies" (Communist countries) of Eastern Europe.

The main business of the Congress today was to hear a speech by M. Z. Saburov, chairman of the State Planning commission, outlining the objectives of the five-year plan. He announced no new figures for the plan, but said the Soviet people will use all their strength to assure its successful completion. The Congress then began a discussion of the plan.

Royalties Yet Wanted By Iran Premier; Parley Is Suggested

TEHRAN, Iran, Oct. 8 (AP) — Premier Mohammed Mossadeq still wants 49 million pounds (\$137,200,000) in disputed royalties from Britain, though he suggests payments could be sandwiched around a three-week conference here on oil claims and counter-claims.

He reiterated the demand in notes to London and Washington made public today. These implied the British must accept other terms he laid down in counter-proposals Sept. 25 to a joint settlement offer from Prime Minister Churchill and President Truman.

The uncompromising premier, curiously warning Britain against stalling, set forth this three-stage approach to a "final" deal in the bitter wrangling over Iran's rich oil properties developed by British capital:

1. Britain must hand over within a week 20 million pounds (\$56 million dollars).

2. A mission representing the Anglo-Iranian Oil Company (AIOC) can then come to Tehran at once to negotiate a basis for settling each side's claims and counter-claims for compensation. A maximum of three weeks was set for these talks.

3. When they end, Britain must pay Iran another 29 million pounds (\$81,200,000).

THESE TWO installments add up to the 49 million pounds which Mossadeq says is due right now from the AIOC in royalties under old pacts that gave the British rights to produce and market Iranian oil. Iran cancelled those rights 18 months ago.

Mossadeq completely ignored proposals made by Churchill and Truman Aug. 50. These suggested various forms of economic aid to near-bankrupt Iran, including an immediate 10 million dollar grant.

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Reading the official notification of their re-election as officers of the St. Gabriel's lodge, Stowe are, left to right Joseph Zangrilli, vice president; Samuel DiGiosia, president, and Fortunato Tulani, secretary. The men were nominated for their offices at the organization's meeting Sunday, and since no other names appeared on the ballots, they won hands down with consent of all members.

Armed Thunderjets Fly Cover as Search Continues Over Sea for Missing Superfort

TOKYO, Thursday, Oct. 9 (AP) — Armed Thunderjets flying that its tracks merged on the cover, search planes zig-zagged with those of the miss over the sea off northern Japan today in a continuing search for a US B29 Superfort that disappeared Tuesday as it was approached by a plane from Russian territory.

The planes sighted only an oil slick yesterday. Foul weather hampered the search.

Planes in the hunt include two B29s equipped with dropable lifeboats and an SA16 twin-engine amphibian. A shallow-draft naval craft is enroute to join the search.

A Far East Air Forces spokesman said the search will not extend beyond Japanese territorial waters.

THE MISSING four-engine bomber carried a crew of eight.

A cautious air force headquarters announcement did not speculate that an "unidentified plane" which it spotted on radar was Russian. Nor did headquarters say the B-29, missing since Tuesday, was attacked.

It emphasized, however, that the "unidentified plane" came from the east — where the Russian-held Kurile islands lie — that it in-

PRODUCTION INCREASES

NEW YORK, Oct. 8 (AP) — The daily average gross crude oil and lease condensate production increased 7350 barrels in the week ended October 4th, totaling 6,514,500 and compared with 6,337,600 barrels a year ago, the American Petroleum institute reported today.



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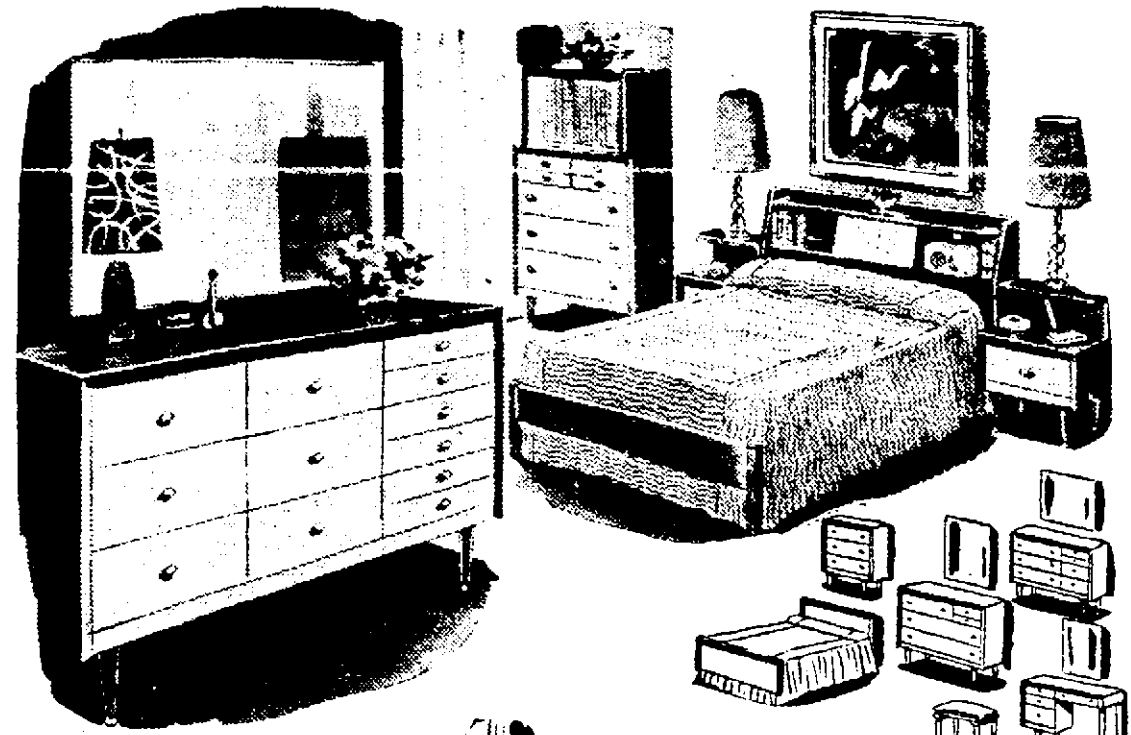
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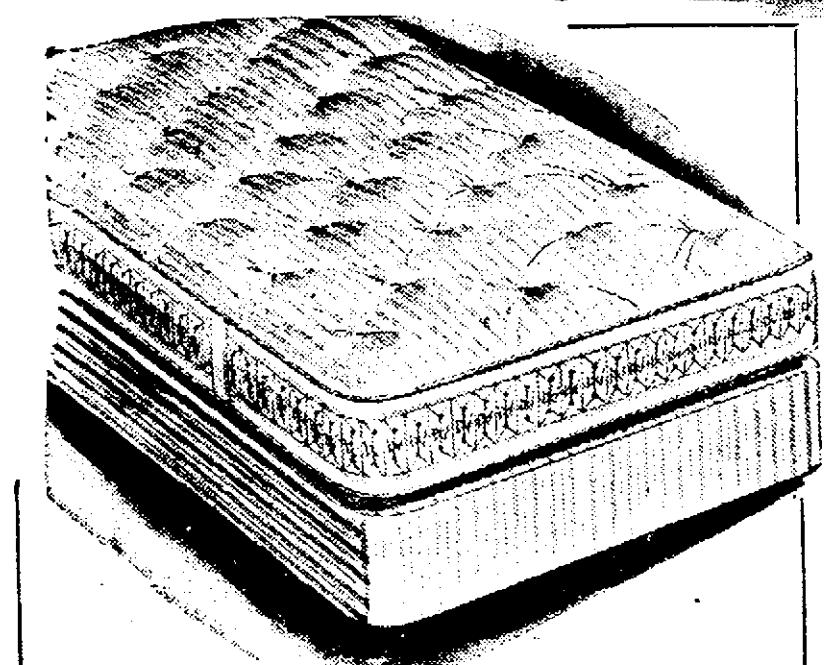
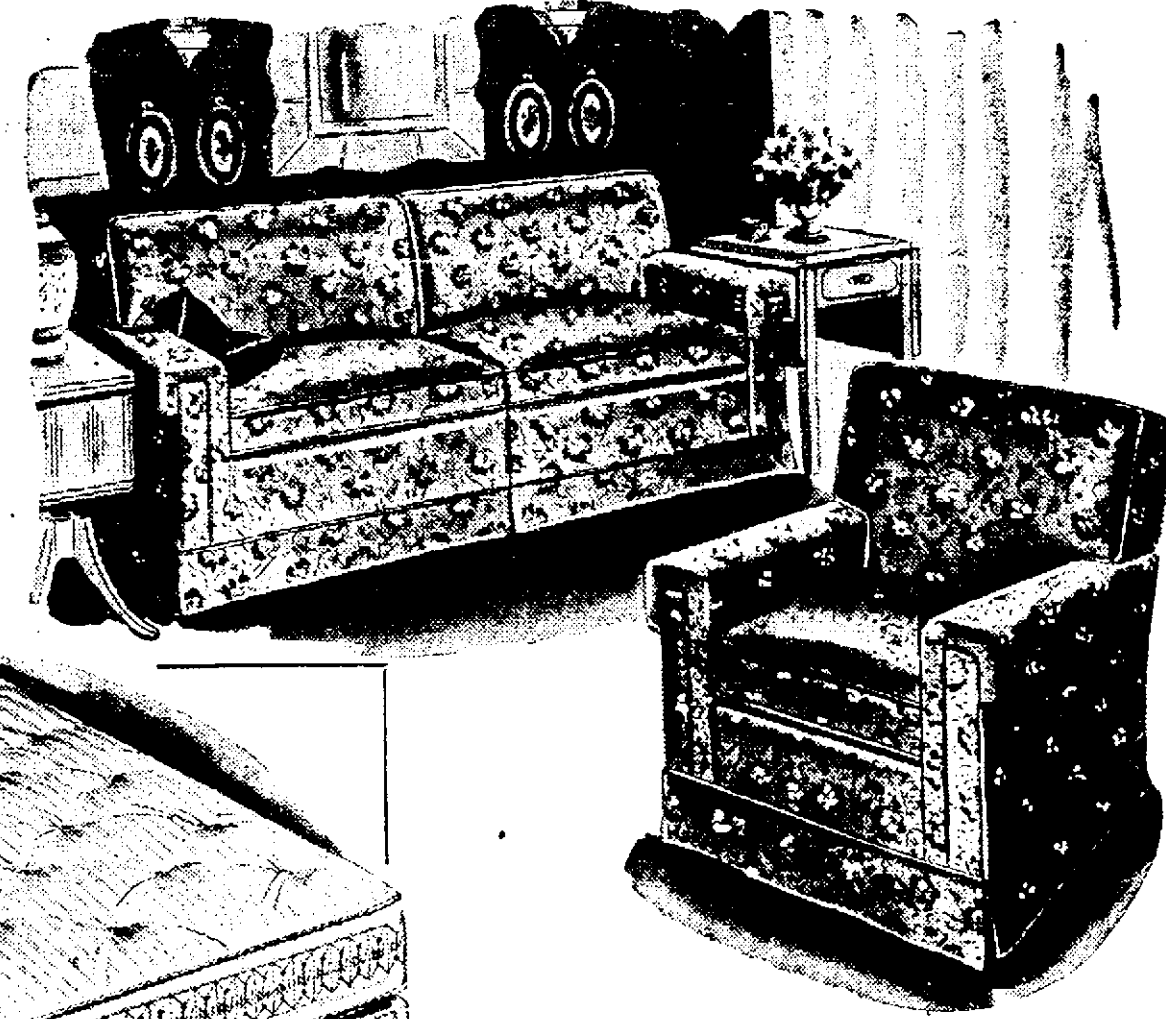
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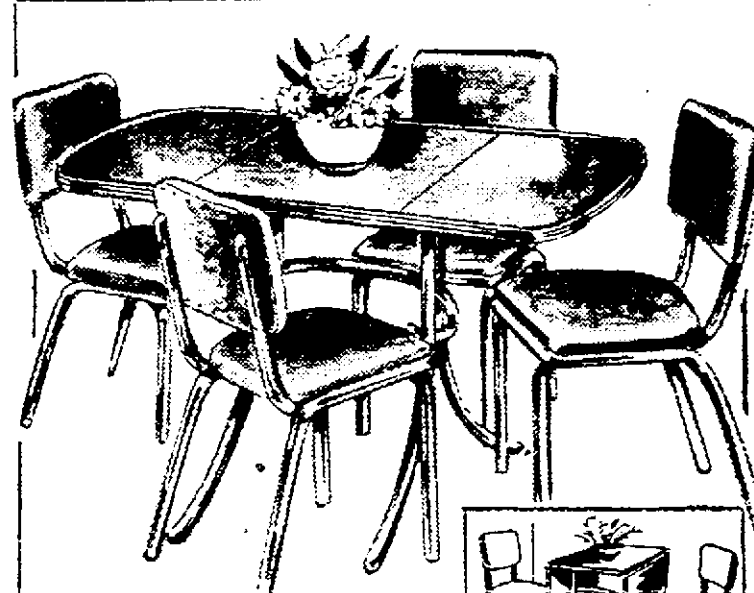
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+++ SCHOOL DAYS +++

In Lower Pottsgrove Elementary School

Junior High Provides Clubs for Pupils Interested in Athletics, Study, Hobbies

By ALLEN QUACKENBOS
Pottstown Junior High pupils had a large variety of clubs to pick from this year, ranging from maintenance to cheerleading and from canasta to outdoor sports.

For the pupils who had a yen for airplane study there was an airplane club. Those pupils who couldn't quite decide what they

Junior High Pupils See Magic Program

By DIANE SANDQUIST
A rare treat was given to the Junior High school pupils Monday.

Duke Montague, known as the "Wizard of Ah's," entertained, accompanied by his partner, Myrnelia. Together they are called "The Gloom Chasers."

His original, versatile magic and his partner's wonderful memory made this a program that won't be soon forgotten.

One of his tricks was the apparent cutting off of Mary Ann McConnell's arm. Another was the trick of pulling a rabbit out of a hat. His partner's memory amazed everyone.

Edward O'Neill Directs Choir, Theory Classes

By DONNA ROYER
This year the Junior High school is trying out two new activities, choir and theory classes.

The director is Edward O'Neill who conducts the Choir and Glee club at the Senior High school.

There are 67 choir members. The eighth and ninth grade members meet every Monday during the first period.

Every Friday during the second period the ninth grade members meet for rehearsals in the band room.

The purpose of the theory class is to get the pupils acquainted with the art of music. In theory class the pupils sing cords without the use of piano accompaniment.

THE CLUBS HAVING the most pupils are the student council with 79 boys and girls, and the band which has 67 pupils.

Fisherman Nets Torpedo; Coast Guard Gets Catch

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 8 (AP)—The tug on Joseph Whaley's fishing net was so great he summoned his son Howard for help. When the nets were finally raised the "fish" turned out to be of the tin variety—a 20-foot torpedo.

The torpedo was encrusted with barnacles and tangled with the remains of a half-dozen fishing nets. Young Whaley delivered his catch to the Coast Guard.

Junior High School To Meet Newcomers At Welcoming Dance

By ELIZABETH BARTCHAK
Pottstown Junior High School A welcoming dance for newcomers to Pottstown Junior High School will be held in the gym tomorrow from 7 to 10 p. m.

Seventh graders will be admitted free, but the eighth and ninth graders will have to pay 50 cents and 75 cents a couple. The dance will be sponsored by Student Council.

The decorations will include Hallowe'en pumpkins, corn shocks, witches, black cats, and ghosts. The ceiling will be strung with black and orange paper.

Music will be provided by Bill Schaeffer's King's Men. The chairmen for the dance are Louise Levengood, Linda Weaver, Eileen Vocum, and Jack Smith.

MARCIA YOHN, Gail Minault, Edmund Sobresky, David Emery, Judy Pollock and Bob March are on the dance committee.

The faculty sponsors are E. Mabel Royer and Mrs. Elizabeth Stevenson.

SALARIES BOOSTED
CHAMBERSBURG, Oct. 8 (AP)—The 16th annual session of the Pennsylvania conference of the Evangelical United Brethren church today raised the basic salary of its ministers \$100 yearly.

Delegates to the session also boosted ministerial car allowances from \$100 to \$300 a year.

Band Valuable Asset To Football 'Eleven'

By ROBERT WHITMAN
When the 1962-63 school semester opened, it also meant the opening of the football season. And what would a football team be without a band backing them up?

William J. Schinstine, band director, and Pottstown Junior High band members are doing a fine job this year.

There are approximately 80 members in the band including trumpet, trombone, and saxophone players.

There also is the Junior band which consists of Seventh graders. They are a small group whose chief purpose is to perform during Seventh grade assembly programs.

With the excellent band and the promising football schedule we foresee a wonderful season this year.

Japanese Government To Spend on Technicians

TOKYO, Oct. 8 (AP)—The Japanese government plans to spend up to \$83,000 to send technicians to southeast Asia countries and for training students from that area in Japan.

Kyodo News agency says the program was the first step in carrying out closer economic collaboration with southeast Asia countries. Trade with Communist China has been frowned upon by the government which hopes to find new markets.

Newfoundland Crash Of Airplane Kills Six

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP)—The Navy reported today that a patrol plane crashed in Newfoundland killing six of the craft's 12 occupants.

The plane crashed at the Argentina Naval station while making a landing approach under reduced visibility, the Navy said.

The following members of the airplane's crew were killed: Lt. Fred P. Horton, Washington, D. C.; Lt. Dewey A. Ellis Jr., Kansas City, Mo.; Lt. Ruben Melina, Minneapolis, Minn.; Lt. Alexander R. Kotko, Towson, Md. (sister's home); Aviation Machinists Mate Malcolm E. Heintz, Sanford, Fla.; Aviation Electronics Technician Airman Martin De Mayo, Philadelphia.

Bought Piece of Land Is Very Long But Thin

LORAIN, O., Oct. 8 (AP)—He says he doesn't know just what he will do with it, but Bill Le Fever has bought a piece of land 40 feet wide and 13,300 feet long.

The strip runs from Lorain to Avon lake about a quarter of a mile south of lake road which hugs the Lake Erie shoreline. It is part of the right-of-way of the old Lake Erie Electric line.

He insists he has no immediate plans for the strip. The Lorain Aviation Electronics Technician suggested he could use it as a testing ground for a pipe or rubber band factory, for tightrope walking exhibitions or for carrier plane landing practice.

Man Treated for Injury Caused by Hammer

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Red Infantry Masses Win Mountain Crest; ROKs Storm Back

SEOUL, Thursday, Oct. 9 (AP)—Fresh Chinese infantry masses swarmed up the shell-scarred slopes of White Horse mountain just before dawn today and won the crest of that key bastion guarding the Chorwon gate to South Korea.

South Korean troops, exhausted after more than 60 hours of continuous and savage fighting during which the crest changed hands at least 12 times, regrouped and stormed back up the slope.

At 11:10 a. m. today they were two-thirds of the way to the top. Their division commander pledged that the hard-bitten ROKs would hold the line at all costs.

An eighth Army staff officer said an estimated 6000 Chinese troops were digging in on the crest of White Horse's northern slope.

ALLIED ARTILLERY crashed down on them in thunderous barrages.

"The biggest Communist attack since their May, 1951, offensive blazed across two-thirds of the 155-mile battle front. But other hill battles paled beside the massive assault for White Horse.

The South Korean Ninth division already praised by Gen. James A. Van Fleet, was winning new laurels for its tenacious stand.

"The men's morale is very high but they are tired," said Major Gen. Kim Chong, their commander. "Their stand has been valiant and exemplary."

"We will hold our front at all costs."

Grenade and bayonet fighting raged up and down the slopes and ravines and across the crest of the hill mass which controls the city of Chorwon and the big road network leading into South Korea.

At times the South Koreans and Chinese fought with rifle butts and fists.

Crashing artillery barrages from both sides thundered down on the crest and frequently turned it into a no-man's land impossible for either side to hold.

The Eighth Army officer said that the slopes and crest were covered with dead of both sides. He said the South Korean soldiers and Allied artillery and air strikes had killed a minimum of 2000 Chinese on White Horse alone.

Casualties were reported heavy elsewhere, too.

Chinese troops slammed fresh attacks today at nearby Arrowhead ridge where French troops off, unable to crack the indomitable fought off repeated assaults.

AP Correspondent Milo Farneti reported from the front that the Chinese troops attacked at midnight and fought until dawn when they broke head ridge where French troops off, unable to crack the indomitable fought off repeated assaults.

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Defiant Witness Tosses War Medals to Committee



Edwin Miller Max (right), 43-year-old actor and war veteran, tosses two military medals on a table at a House un-American Activities committee hearing in Los Angeles, Oct. 6, and says "give them back to President Truman." Rep. Clyde Doyle (left) (D. Calif.) accused Max of "trying to make a monkey out of the committee." Center is Rep. Donald L. Jackson (R. Calif.). Max later gathered up the medals and left with them.

United States Tells Russia That Kennan Spoke Accurately

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP)—The United States told Russia today that Ambassador George F. Kennan spoke "accurately and in moderate language" when he gave the description of Moscow life which Kremlin used as a reason to demand his recall.

At the same time Secretary of State Acheson made it clear that the Kennan affair alone will not lead this Government to send Soviet Ambassador Georgi N. Zarubin home or to break diplomatic relations.

He told Senator Knowland (R. Calif.) in a telegram that many other grave considerations would enter into such a decision. He added, however, that all phases of relations with Moscow will continue under examination. Knowland had demanded Zarubin's ouster and withdrawal of "recognition" from Russia in connection with the Kennan action.

The ambassador, in Berlin on his way to visit a daughter in Switzerland, told reporters that an American's life in Moscow is not much different from the experiences of American diplomats interned in Germany after Pearl Harbor.

More Nations Asked By Lie to Fight Reds

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., Oct. 8 (AP)—Secretary General Trygve Lie today called on more United Nations members to contribute to the UN fight against the Reds in Korea and also advocated an armistice on the present battle line.

His views were made known in a preamble to his annual report to the 1952 General assembly which opens here next Tuesday.

"Until there is an armistice," the Korean front, and "It is the part of wisdom. Also 150 futile 'truce talks' at his path crossed that of Sen. Robert A. Taft, who was to speak two hours after the President. They rode in the same parade, watched by a crowd estimated by Lt. David Herrick of the Iowa highway patrol at 25,000 to 30,000.

In his speech Truman said Taft campaigning for Eisenhower, has shifted his speech plans from morning until afternoon "so he would have a crowd."

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Stevenson Charges Ike Altered His Foreign Policy

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 8 (AP)—Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson rapped Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower tonight as the use of one man's good name to camouflage a bad record, and that man's willingness to compromise his own views in opportunistic grasping for support in this election.

"My opponent," Stevenson said, "has been worrying about my rival actively backed every development in US policy toward Europe from 1945 to 1952, then became a presidential candidate and overnight he changed his mind about what he stood for."

The raking attack on the General and Senator closed out the Democratic presidential nominee's campaign for Wisconsin and 12 electoral votes. In an address prepared for delivery at the Milwaukee arena, Stevenson went after Eisenhower's this way on American policy in Europe.

"No other issue reveals more the Senate."

Around the Nation

Nixon Criticizes Mess
PITTSBURGH, Oct. 8 (AP)—Sen. Richard M. Nixon tonight criticized what he termed the Truman-Acheson-Stevenson foreign policy mess.

The Republican vice presidential candidate said in a speech prepared for a rally in the Syria mosque, a Masonic temple here, that "the mess" involved:

"More than 150,000 men transported to the Far East, thrown into combat, killed, wounded or luckily rotated, while other American boys move into battle; More than 120,000 US casual-

"A draft that takes up to 50,000 of our finest American youth every month, many of them destined for

whistle stop tour of Ohio, said that only his presidential running mate, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, "has given the peoples of the world a message of hope."

But, Nixon said, Moscow propagandists termed it a war-mongering message. And, he added, so did President Truman, Secretary of State Dean Acheson and Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson of Illinois, the Democratic presidential candidate.

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Most Applause Drawn by Taft

SHENANDOAH, Ia., Oct. 8 (AP)—On a sun-drenched football field rimmed by hot dog stands, the President of the United States fought an old-fashioned battle of words today with the top campaigner for Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

And judging from the applause that crackled from the packed wooden bleachers in this staunchly Republican Iowa town, Robert A. Taft of Ohio was an easy winner over Harry S. Truman in this unusual round of the struggle for the nation's bread basket vote.

Taft was applauded at least half a dozen times oftener than the President, and at the end got an ovation far louder than the wave of hand clapping for Truman.

Tens of thousands crammed the tree-shaded streets of Shenandoah for the speech-making and the free pancakes that are an annual feature of the town's Harvest festival.

TRUMAN, WAIVING cheerily, rode at the head of a parade. Taft, just as cheerily waving, rode far to the rear. Lt. Dave Herrick of the State patrol estimated the crowd at 25,000 to 30,000. But this was no holiday afternoon's entertainment.

A chance crossing of the two speakers' campaign paths turned it into a chips-down fight for the farm vote that carried Truman himself to victory four years ago. And in the audience were farmers from four of the leading agricultural States.

Between 7000 and 10,000 flocked to the high school football field for Truman's speech, by Herrick's estimate. About the same number, Herrick said, listened to Taft an hour and a half later.

They sat, they stood, they lounged on the brown-green grass—some munching hot dogs and tipping soft drink bottles toward the deep blue, cloudless sky.

The speakers double-header appearance highlighted this city's annual Harvest Jubilee or "Pancake Day."

Speaking from a platform which the President had occupied only two hours earlier, the Ohio Republican charged that Mr. Truman "brings forward such a succession of misrepresentations that when you're answering one, three others have been made."

Taft termed Mr. Truman's campaign strategy a "technique of lying," and said the President "drags in bogey men like Wall street lobbies."

The speech, much of it "off the cuff," was a rapid fire answer to the farm address of the President. Taft listened to the Truman address by radio and drafted his own speech notes during the intervening two hours.

Lt. David Herrick of the Iowa State patrol estimated the crowd at the Truman speech, given open-air at the high school football field at 10,000. He calculated the Taft crowd was just about as large.

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Truce Talks Called 'Soviet Trap' by Ike

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8 (AP)—Eisenhower's whole campaign for Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower blis- the presidency. His political ad- tered the Truman Administration's visors were attaching heavy sig- foreign policy tonight, and declared, nificance to it.

Eisenhower pointed heavy guns at three major objectives in his San Francisco address.

1. He bitterly criticized and ridiculed the courses the Administration has been following since the end of World War II, pouring particular scorn on Secretary of State Dean Acheson.

2. He explained, and defended, his own part in the making of these policies, and his role, as army chief of staff, at the time the "defense perimeter" in Asia was drawn.

3. He laid down his ideas for meeting the menace of the cold war, and turning it to the advantage of the free world.

THE SAN FRANCISCO speech was one of the key addresses in a "Soviet trap."

The Republican candidate for president said the negotiations in Pannunjom were designed to gain time for the Communists, that they have repaired their military position, and today are half again as strong as they were when the talks started.

"The Soviet trap" was perfectly conceived, perfectly timed, perfectly sprung," he said.

"The Communist military position has been repaired. Beyond President Truman has accused Eisenhower of now attempting to disavow his role in these vast decisions."

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World News Briefs

Reds Are Nabbed

PARIS, Oct. 8 (AP)—Police swooped down on Communist newspapers and offices throughout France today, nabbing about a dozen small fry Reds and seizing documents.

The National Defense Ministry said the raids were ordered by a Paris military tribunal looking for evidence on which to bring charges against Communists for trying to demoralize the army, the nation, and threaten the security of France.

The Communists knew the police were coming, however, and pre-emptive campaign by dismissing 16 sumably had taken precautions to more high Government officials' put any incriminating papers in for a variety of causes related to hiding.

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Parkerford Group Auctions Members' Favorite Recipes

Parkerford Women's Club members auctioned their favorite home-made foods—along with the recipes—at their meeting Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Albert Everett.

A donation of \$50 to the Parkerford school was voted for the purchase of reference books and several new committee chairmen were appointed.

Mrs. Alvia White heads the flower committee; Mrs. William Schultz, ways and means; Mrs. Parker Malenke, Girl Scouts, and Miss Lillian C. Hoffman, publicity.

Other members at the meeting were Mrs. Harry Kastle, Mrs. Ambrose Malenke, Mrs. Clayton Long, Mrs. Charles Knepper, Mrs. Wayne Johnson, Mrs. Leon Asse, Miss Helen Hritzko, Miss Raye Ash, Mrs. Clifford Steinrich and Mrs. William Oberlander.

Guests present were Miss Ola Walt and Mrs. Clarence Keen.

The group scheduled its next meeting for Nov. 4 in the Parkerford Baptist church.

Movies of Europe, UF Talk Highlighted At Newcomers' Club

Members of the Newcomers' club were entertained last night in the YWCA by Miss Edna Hutt who showed colored movies of and talked about her recent trip through Europe.

The color in Dutch rose gardens and the changing of Buckingham Palace guards was particularly impressive to the group.

After Mr. Robert Scheffey had spoken shortly on the United Fund drive, it was decided that a bowling party for members of the club and their husbands would be held Oct. 25.

A PARCEL post sale will be featured at the next meeting, Nov. 12, in the YWCA at 8 o'clock. Mrs. William Leiser, chairman, has asked that members write to friends or family outside of Pottstown to request that they send surprise packages which will be exchanged in their unwrapped condition.

It was announced that the Monday night and Wednesday afternoon art classes still have openings for anyone interested in joining. The sewing class held on Wednesday afternoon has a few free places, too.

Mrs. John Fraser introduced nine guests, Mrs. Joseph Mitchell, Mrs. Leroy Miller, Mrs. John Seibert, Miss Lucille Munser, Mrs. William Kelly, Mrs. Joseph Fisher, Mrs. George Anhalt, Mrs. David Farnsworth and Mrs. Florence Hepler.

Emmanuel Brownies Hike Out to Pottsgrove Manor

Brownies of Emmanuel Lutheran Church troop 7 made an historical hike to Pottsgrove Manor, where they especially enjoyed seeing the nursery and the room in which George and Martha Washington slept.

After the tour the girls hiked back to the church.

Led by Mrs. Banks Fry, Mrs. Albert Istenes, Mrs. Vincent Schweitzer, and Mrs. John Quinter, Brownies present were: Patricia Garner, Bonnie Hurter, Sharon Acker, Patricia Freese, Sharon Frye, Sandra Gehris, Patricia Hackman, Joanne Heinbach, Maryann Istenes, Bonnie Large, Janet Law and Andrea Levan.

Also Paula Lunn, Alice Leuthold, Sandra March, Mary Perry, Nancy Quinter, Sharon Reinbold, Carol Schmidt, Susan Schweitzer, Carole Swavely, Sandra Kinckner, Corrine Bechtel, Dolores Frey, Gail Large, Carol Groom, Sue Mosheim, Frances Shaner and Donna Raitdy.

Hiking guests were Gail Hart, Betty Brown, Nancy Herner, Judy Danolis, Sherry Boyer, Diane Hoffman, Barbara and Jackie Oxenford.

College Fund Is Planned By Pottstown Teachers

The Pottstown Teacher's association met Thursday afternoon in the Junior High school. The teachers voted to adopt the 1952-53 budget.

It was agreed that the association would give a gift to Pottsgrove Manor. The nature of the gift will be decided later by a committee. The teachers are going to begin work on a project for raising a fund to assist a worthy student in attend college.

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Women's Activities

Church Choir Hymns Provide Background For Hakun-Dinnocenti Wedding Service

St. John's Catholic church of the Greek Rite was decked with white gladioli and palm branches for the wedding of Helen Hakun and Eugene C. Dinnocenti. The Rev. John D. Taptich, rector, read the nuptial mass against a musical background provided by the church choir.

For her marriage, the bride chose a traditional chantilly lace and satin gown with a six-panel court train and long, tapered sleeves. Made of lace appliqued over satin, the princess bodice with its jewel neckline topped bouffant skirts of nylon tulle over satin.

Honeymooning at Niagara



—Photo by Pic Kar Studio

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ondo Jr. (Pearl Mae Gensemer) are honeymooning at Niagara Falls, following their wedding in Holy Trinity Catholic church. Upon their return, the couple will reside at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ondo Sr. of 409 South street.

Coventryville WSCS Worships, Crochets At All-Day Meeting

Women of the Society for Christian service of Coventryville Methodist church spent all day yesterday at the home of Mrs. Earl Fries, 2 Brown street, Spring City, embroidering and worshipping.

After needlework in the morning and luncheon served by the hostess, the business meeting was opened by president Mrs. Fries. Mrs. B. C. Dahms, chaplain, was in charge of devotions. Further study was done on home missions through the book, "Every Good and Perfect Gift."

EACH MEMBER repeated a Bible verse with the month's word, "truth," in it and decided that next month's word would be "thanks." The "thanks" will be said at the home of Mrs. James Dunlap, Elverson Nov. 12, when the women also will enjoy a covered-dish social.

Members were reminded of the Harvest Home service, Nov. 19, at 10:45 o'clock and the week of prayer at Nantmeal church Nov. 16.

WELCOMING committees were appointed for Oct. 12 and 19 church services. Mrs. Earl Fries and Mrs. James Chapman; for Oct. 26 and Nov. 2, Mrs. George Bealer and Mrs. Ernest Rhone; for Nov. 9 and 16, Mrs. Arthur Essick and Mrs. T. S. Guest.

Women present were Mrs. Charles Fries Sr., Mrs. Edith Santangelo, Mrs. Ida Epright, Mrs. Morgan Williams, and Linda, Mrs. Ida Ayres, Mrs. Paul Tobias, Mrs. Edward Bayer, Mrs. Samuel Porter, the Rev. and Mrs. B. C. Dahms, Mrs. Wilbur Rock, Mrs. Bruce Moses and Mrs. James Chapman.

Also Mrs. George Bealer, Mrs. Arthur Essick, Mrs. Ray Buckwalter, Brian and Janice, Mrs. Forrest Essig and Sharon Sue, Mrs. T. S. Guest, Mrs. Wayne Swinehart, Mrs. Wayne Fulmer, Mrs. Earl S. Fries, Sandra and Richard, Mrs. George Schlus, Mrs. Franklin Deicher and Mrs. Ernest Rhone.

The Rev. E. L. Angstadt Reads Kline-Henry Nuptial Ceremony

Miss Doris L. Kline and Mr. Lloyd L. Henry, both of Pottstown, were married Saturday in St. John's Lutheran parsonage, Summertown, by the Rev. E. L. Angstadt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton C. Kline of Pottstown are the bride's parents, and the groom is the son of Mrs. Lillian F. Henry. The newlyweds are residing in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Taglieber, Pottstown.

Mr. Henry is an employee of Elias B. Mensch, Pottstown, and his bride works for Rosenau Brothers, Inc., Red Hill.

Those attending the wedding were: Mrs. Lillian F. Henry, Mrs. Clayton C. Kline, Mr. Herman Kline, Miss Dolores Heft, Mrs. Lloyd Reiff, Mrs. Dorothy Bender and Mrs. Laura Dunlap.

Pine Swamp Church Group Makes Plans For October Events

Mrs. Amanda Keim was the hostess for the Willing Workers class of the Pine Swamp church held at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. John Bixler, Elverson.

Mrs. Myrtle Siver, president, opened the meeting; and Mrs. Estella Yelk gave the devotional reading.

A report was made by the parsonage committee which slated that a Paper Party is to be held at the church basement sometime in October. A cake bake also was planned for Oct. 11. It is to be held in the home of Mrs. Amanda Keim. Elverson. The committee for this event is Mrs. Dorothy Bixler, Mrs. Myrtle Handwork and Mrs. Estelle Yelk.

THE GROUP voted to donate \$400 to the parsonage fund. The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Nora Jones on Nov. 6.

Those attending were: Mrs. Dorothy Bixler, Mrs. Myrtle Siver, Mrs. Myrtle Handwork, Mrs. Sally Care, Miss Carrie Hartenstine, Mrs. Helen Houck, Mrs. Adeline Houck, Mrs. Erma Loomis, Mrs. Jessie McCord, Mrs. Estelle Yelk and Mrs. Amanda Keim.

Scouts of Cedar Grove Plan Hallowe'en Party

Girl Scout troop 27 of Cedar Grove chapel met last night and made plans for a Hallowe'en party to be held on Oct. 22 at 7 o'clock in the home of Mrs. David Emery, Pottstown RD. 3.

Three committees were named to make arrangements for the party. They are: decorating, Janice Meeker, Rosemary Maylath and Margaret Lauer; food, Sandra John and Dolly Auman; games, Diane Meeker and Judith Dotterer.

Scouts present were: Diane Meeker, Rosemary Maylath, Sandra Snyder, Dolly Auman, Margaret Lauer, Janice Meeker and leader, Miss Marjorie Meeker.

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Wyndcroft Students Entertain Parents, Teachers With Tea

Parents and teachers of the Wyndcroft school were entertained by Seventh and Eighth grade students at a get-acquainted tea yesterday afternoon.

Greeting guests were Barbara Feroe, Judy Gochnaur, Marjory Feroe, Mary Griffiths and Judy Feroe, all students.

Mrs. Edward LeGrand, PTA president, headed the receiving line. Standing with her were faculty members Mrs. Horace Ebert, Mrs. Roland Glavis, Mrs. Albert Hartman, Mrs. Joseph Hospador, Miss Nedy Knoll, Mrs. Ralph Mellon, Miss Angeline Oberholtzer and Mrs. George Trost.

Mrs. Mary Charles and Mrs. Carlisle presided at the tea table.

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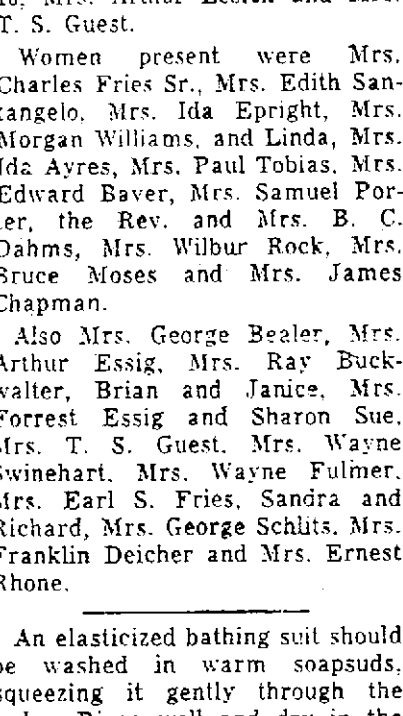
Claude Britton Marries Jean Gery In Elkton, Md.

A simple ceremony united Miss Jean Gery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Webster Gery, Hereford, and Sanitary company, Linfield. Mrs. Corp. Claude Britton, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Britton, Barto, in Elkton, Md.

Before entering the US Marines, Miss Gery was employed by the Sanitary company, Linfield. Mrs. Britton, a graduate of East Greenville High school, has been employed at the Great American Knitting mill, Bally.

The couple plans to leave tomorrow for Camp Pendleton, Calif., where Corp. Britton is stationed. Judith Robinson, Phyllis Kulp, Diane Houcke, Linda Yocom and Mrs. Susan Schurr.

Britton was feled at a bridal shower by Mrs. Shirley Simmons Bitner, guest, Joanne Bechtel; and in Barto; a sister of the bride, groom, Mrs. William Gaugler, and her husband entertained the couple at dinner in the Gaugler's Gilbertsville home.



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Three Plays Presented By Methodist Brownies

Brownie troop 18 of First Methodist church met Tuesday afternoon in the church. The highlight of the meeting was the presentation of three short plays. Nancy Pike was in charge of the games which were played, and the meeting was closed with singing.

Those present were: Nancy Pike, Faye Engel, Barbara Brower, Doris Jenkins, Sharon Laury, Carol McCord, Janet MacCullough, Billie Neysenches, Marion Miller, Patricia Pennypacker, Ruth Renninger, Judith Robinson, Phyllis Kulp, Diane Houcke, Linda Yocom and Mrs. Susan Schurr.

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Margaret Yeoman and John Clevensine Marry At Grace Lutheran Church Rites

Nuptial vows were spoken by Miss Margaret Ann Yeoman and Mr. John N. Clevensine Saturday in Grace Lutheran church of Royersford against a backdrop of mixed flowers and palms. The service was read by the Rev. Paul Henry, and Miss Jean Malenke was organist.

White satin and tulle, the bride's dress was cut with a jewel neckline, sheer yoke, stand-up, braid-embroidered hertha and long, tapered sleeves. From the fitted bodice cascaded triple tulle skirts over bouffant satin, decorated with embroidered scroll raid.

Her finger-tip veil fell from a pearl encrusted satin bonnet, and she carried a bouquet of white roses with an orchid center.

Miss Edna Edleman, maid of honor, and Miss Joan Manser, bridesmaid, wore similar ballerina length gown of satin with net overlays and skipper jackets.

Their picture hats were lace and net covered. Bridesmaids wore pink for Miss Edleman and blue for Miss Manser.

Mr. Lawrence Clevensine Jr., as best man and Henry Edleman hered.

Mr. Robert Yeoman, of Royersford, gave his daughter in marriage, and for the occasion her other wore a black taffeta dress with matching accessories and a d rose corsage.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Clevensine, Royersford, are the groom's parents. Mrs. Clevensine chose navy blue for the suit and accessories were at her son's wedding. Her flowers were red roses.

Following a luncheon and reception at the bride's home, she donned a going-away suit of navy checks and leave for the wedding trip. Her accessories were navy and she wore an orchid corsage.

The couple expects to return next week and will be at home in the residence of the bride's parents.

Emmanuel League Board Announces Month's Schedule

Plans for October and November were made at the executive and meeting of the Senior Lutheran League of Emmanuel Lutheran church Tuesday night in the home of Miss Jean Riegner, 18 West 3rd street.

President Mrs. H. Henry Burdun announced that Mr. Wilbur O. Cressman, formerly a teacher at the Senior High school, will speak the Sunday devotional meeting of the League at 6:30 o'clock in church.

Two Halloween parties have been slated. One will be held by the League Saturday night, Oct. 25, a barn of the property of Mr. J. M. Daniel Aschmeier, Pottstown RD 3. The second party will be given by Section B of the Northtown conference which has invited the Emmanuel group to St. Peter's Lutheran church, Stowe, Tuesday night, Oct. 28.

"The Perfect Little Goose", the final play put on by the League, directed by Mrs. Bryce Mangum, will be performed Nov. 14.

Emmanuel church will be the quiet hall for the annual Northtown conference of Lutheran churches' affair, Tuesday, Nov. 25. Miss June Hess, West Fifth street, will entertain members of executive board at their next meeting, Nov. 11, at 8 o'clock.

League Eagles Schedule Halloween Festivities

The Ladies Auxiliary of the League, Aerie 626, met last night at the Eagle Home to discuss plans for a Nov. 16 rummage sale and a sale.

"Pig-in-box" prizes were donated by Mrs. Dorothy Beck and Mrs. Mary Griesemer, won by Mrs. Griesemer and Mrs. Kathryn Angeli.

Following their 8 p. m. meeting the home Oct. 22, the members will hold a Halloween party at which all will be required to wear masks.

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New to Young Wedded Set



Recent additions to Pottstown's young married set are Mr. and Mrs. William Lee Royce (Joan Marie Becker), who exchanged vows recently in St. Aloysius Catholic church. Now at home at 143 King street, the couple plan to move to 356 Chestnut street at the end of the month.

Shirley Cressman Exchanges Vows With Elwood Royston Jr.

The marriage of Miss Shirley St. John's Lutheran parsonage, Cressman, Summeytown, and Mr. Summeytown. Elwood W. Royston Jr., Ziegler, was solemnized with a quiet double ring service Saturday in Zionville, was maid of honor, and Mr. Larry F. Royston was his brother's best man. The Rev. E. L. Angstadt officiated at the ceremony.

Emmanuel Girl Scouts Map New York City Tour

Girl Scout troops 1 and 2 of the Emmanuel Lutheran church met yesterday afternoon and again discussed their coming trip to New York City. They decided to visit Radio City, Chinatown, Statue of Liberty and Times square. Later they worked on their handicraft.

Those present were: Carlene Zimmerman, Barbara Geiser, Binnie Tosher, Toni Mariano, Betsy Lender, Mary Ann Hasselhan, Virginia Messer, Barbara Schaffer, Judith Foley, Donna Boyer, Genevieve Eagle, Judith Seavers, Betsy Lett, Judith Moyer, Judith Boyer, and Mary Kerns.

Also: Linda Reidnour, Erma Hackman, Marjorie Levan, Jo Ann Smith, Carol Ann Wentzel, Margaret Kulp, Mary Ann Kulp, Joan Miller, Patricia Zeigler, Patricia Foltz, Judith Fryer, Phyllis Smith and Judith Yost. The leaders present were: Mrs. Janet Steller, Mrs. Virginia Mock, Miss Helen Kulp, Miss Marjorie Smith and Miss Jean Walker.

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County Convention Is Held at Searles Methodist Church

Fifty-five delegates from the eight circles of the King's Daughters and Sons Montgomery County Union attended the 48th Annual convention at Searles Memorial Methodist church last night.

In the report of the State convention, it was stated that the Montgomery County Union donated \$50 towards a scholarship for a Pennsylvania girl. Mrs. Gerald Crider, state president, announced that the international order had decided to give \$1000 yearly for work among lepers.

A report of the Summer at Holiday House was given by the house mother, Mrs. Esther Diener of the "Watchful Circle". An invitation to the 1953 convention was given by the "Earnest Workers Circle" from Elkins Park.

THE MEMORIAL service, in charge of Miss Anne Lee Cole, was given in memory of Mrs. Laura Geiger and Mrs. Harry Kochel, Pottstown; Mrs. Charlotte Robins, Bryn Mawr; Mrs. Harry Hughes, and Mrs. Donald Hunter, Jenkintown; Mrs. Clelland Card and Mrs. Paul Oswald, Elkins Park; Mrs. Ambrose Miller Glenside; and in honor of Miss Blanche Heidinger.

Bridal Shower Fetes Bride-Elect Miss Ruth Hatfield

Beneath a tilted sprinkling can colored pink and yellow, Miss Ruth Hatfield opened her gifts at the shower held in honor of her approaching marriage Oct. 18 to Mr. Roy Barthlow.

Co-hostesses at the party were the bride's sister, Mrs. Paul Smith, and Mrs. Harold Houck. The affair was held in Mrs. Smith's home at 553 West street.

Among the guests were Mrs. Jean Hollenbach, Mrs. Jean Davidheiser and her daughter, Dawn, Mrs. Peggy Salter, Mrs. Bertha Hollenbach, Miss Lucille Jackson and Mrs. Jane Specht.

Mrs. Pearl Leisey, Mrs. Barbara Kutterbach, Mrs. Esther Zeigler, Miss Thelma James, Miss Patricia Eckenrode, Miss Lottie Mae Smith, Mrs. Ellen Hatfield and Mrs. Ida Peterson completed the guest list. Gifts were sent by Mrs. William Hatfield, Mrs. Catherine Conrad, Miss Jeanette Henry and Mrs. Charles Barthlow.

Marriage Licenses

Applications for marriage licenses were made in Montgomery county courthouse, Norristown, by: Leroy L. Miller, Seminary street, Pottstown, and Betty Porter, 76 South Charlotte street, Pottstown. Michael Lengyel, 182 South Washington street, Pottstown, and Phyllis J. Bertolet, 178 Rohland street, Pottstown. George E. Meck, Perkiomenville RD, and Grace M. Mutter, 517 Doits street, Pottstown.

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Church Circle Hears How Bibles Are News

Oldest and newest Bibles—and how they figure in today's news—were Mrs. Wilbur Riley's topic when she addressed the First Presbyterian church's circle 2 Tuesday.

Hostess for the meeting was Mrs. W. J. Starrett of 218 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown. She was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Calvin Yoh.

Fifteen members and one guest heard Mrs. Riley's discussion of the new United States postal stamp commemorating the Gutenberg Bible, the world's earliest printed matter.

She also discussed the new standard Bible, recently published in up-to-date language.

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Pre-Wedding Shower Held To Fete Phyllis Bertolet

Miss Phyllis Bertolet's forthcoming marriage to Mr. Michael Lenzel was celebrated by her friends Tuesday with a miscellaneous bridal shower.

The affair was held in the home of Mrs. Ernest Hurter, 1218 Cherry street. Co-hostess was Miss Bertolet's matron of honor, Mrs. Roy Dentler Jr.

Blue and white was the color scheme carried out in receiving and refreshment rooms. Streamers from the spout of a decorated water can were attached to shower gifts, and additional streamers were used to adorn the candlelit refreshment table.

Guests attending were: Miss Geraldine Boyer, Miss Kathryn Albright, Miss Mary Fink, Miss Agnes

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Working With Family Keeps Her Young



Helping her two daughters-in-law and a daughter look after a growing family of energetic children is a responsibility that leaves Mrs. Morris Gresh Sr., 46, Boyertown RD 2, among the Pottstown area's most attractive grandmothers. Shown here from left to right are daughter Mrs. Claude Erb, 27, Boyertown RD 2, holding her daughter Donna, 2½. Donna's twin brother, Donald, is next, followed by Claude Erb,

7. Mrs. Gresh Sr., shown holding Colleen Louise Gresh, 8 months. Mrs. Morris Gresh Jr., 20, Boyertown RD 1 holding Morris Gresh 3rd, 9 weeks, and Mrs. Harold Gresh, 24, Boyertown RD 2, holding son Gregory, 2. Colleen is Mrs. Harold Gresh's daughter. Mrs. Gresh Sr. first became a grandmother at the age of 39, when Claude was born.

—Mercury Staff Photo

Lower Pottsgrove's PTA Executive Board Plans Party, Supper

Chairman of the ways and means committee Mr. Linford Richard announced several social events which will be held by Lower Pottsgrove Parent-Teacher association at a meeting of the executive committee last night.

Held in the home of Mrs. John Saylor, Pleasantview road, Sanatoga, the meeting was in charge of president Mr. Howard Rumler. Mrs. Joseph Mest, membership chairman, gave a report on the progress of the membership drive which is still in operation.

Mr. Richard's two social announcements were these: a Halloween party and square dance will be given in the school Nov. 25, and a supper sometime in January.

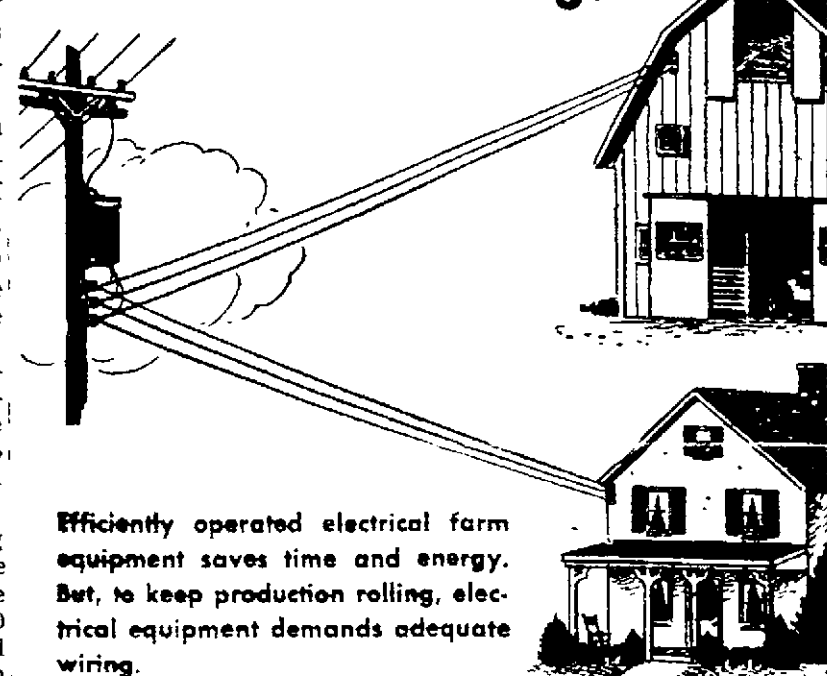
THE NEXT open PTA meeting will be Oct. 16 at 8 o'clock in the school, it was decided; and the next board meeting Nov. 12 at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mr. Linford Richard, Mervine road, Pottstown RD 3.

Members present were Mrs. Joseph Mest, Mrs. Arthur Newhard, Miss Marion Youngblood, Mrs. John Saylor, Mr. Leroy Brendlinger, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rumler, Mrs. Gresh Yocom and Mrs. Robert Meloy.

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Today
Linda Sue Shantz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Shantz, Pottstown RD 1.

Hilda Weist, 117 North Franklin street.

Mary Christman, 71 Mount Vernon street.

Mrs. Jacob Lightcap, 921 North Adams street.

Dorothy Berkheimer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Berkheimer, 515 North Franklin street.

Gordon Griffiths, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maris Griffiths, 918 High street.

Shirley Leigh, daughter of and Mrs. Howard Gottier, Pottstown RD 3.

Walter W. Schell, Pottstown RD 1.

Woodrow Bushey, 1428 Sunset drive.

Robert M. Mullen, Pottstown RD 3.

Henry Clary, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Clary, Sanatoga.

Raymond Woodley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woodley, 518 North Washington street.

Dennis Albert Hurchalla, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hurchalla, Terrace lane.

James Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Miller, Sanatoga.

Doris Eschbach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Eschbach, Birdshore RD 2.

Richard Evenstad, 42 Custer Court.

Doris Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher, 357 Lincoln avenue.

Paul Salter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Salter, 420 West street.

William Bechtel, 938 Glasgow street, Stowe 78 years.

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Social Calendar Esther Smith Wears Blue to Wed Earl Miller in Pennsburg Rites

DOE CLUB—meets at 8:15 p. m. in Elks building (board of governors meets at 7 p. m.)

St. Aloysius Club—holds meeting and card party at 8 p. m. in St. Aloysius school hall.

Girl Scout troop 56—holds covered dish supper in the First Evangelical and Reformed church, Royersford.

WCTU—meets at 2 p. m. in Searles Memorial Methodist church.

Women's Missionary study group of Trinity Reformed church—meets at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. A. B. Reichenbach, 350 South Hanover street.

Ladies' auxiliary of Pine Forge Sportsmen's club—Hallowe'en social at 8 p. m. in the club house.

Ladies' auxiliary of German club—meets at 8 p. m. in the club hall.

HOSPITALS

MEMORIAL

Admitted: Gerald Boughter, Gilbertsville, medical; Patricia Krezanosky, Barto RD 1, surgical; Wayne Deegan, 46 West Third street, medical; Frances Grim, Pottstown RD 1, medical; Stella Muthersbaugh, Road A, Hilldale, surgical; Louis Sabo, 507 Center street, Stowe, medical; Lillian Heydt, Scranton surgical, Gertrude Weidman, Spring City RD 1, surgical.

Discharged: Mrs. Beulah Adams, Schwenksville RD 1, maternity; Marie DiCarlo, Pottstown RD 3, medical; Mrs. Joyce Mattie, 310 New street, Spring City, maternity; Marsha McKeon, 185 Sunrise lane, medical; Mrs. Laura Minotto, School lane, Stowe, maternity; Florence Raetz, 405 North York street, medical; Estella Summers, Bridgeport, surgical; Dawn Waller, 301 East Vine street, Stowe, medical.

POTTSTOWN

Admitted: Helen Kubeldis, 11 Elm street, Stowe, medical; Catherine Mastricola, 350 Chestnut street, medical; Elmer Fritz, Pottstown RD 3, medical.

Discharged: Michael Morris, Pottstown RD 3, surgical; Mrs. Stauffer Kutz, Douglassville RD 2, maternity; Hazel Nettles, Douglassville RD 2, surgical; Mildred Oister, 371 Walnut street, medical.

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Saturday in Pennsburg. She carried a lily of the valley and orchid nosegay and was attended by Mrs. Helen Holliday, who carried yellow pompons to blend with her mauve dress.

The Rev. Wilmer C. Mantz officiated at the double ring service and LeRoy Miller was best man.

After their Niagara Falls honeymoon, the pair will be at home at 424 Seminary street, Pennsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon M. Smith, Perkiomenville, are the bride's parents, and the groom is the son of Mrs. Katie Miller of Pennsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Rensky Jr., San Gabriel, Calif., announce the birth of a daughter born at Queen of Angels hospital, Hollywood, Calif. Mrs. Rensky is the former Miss Levina Nobilski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nobilski, Grosstown road, Stowe.

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Rival Blue Calif. Peaches	lg. 2½ size can	29c
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Montco Tomato Juice	16-oz. can	29c
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Trojans Play Eagles Tonight

The Trojans will march off to battle again tonight and Pottstown fans are hoping they return with their third scalp of the season.

Coach Herb Meyers will take his undefeated squad to Norristown to take on a tough squadron of Eagles in the 38th renewal of the traditional rivalry. Pottstown has won this game eight times in the past 38 years.

Pottstown has walked through its first two victims, Lansdale, 33-0, and Upper Merion, 32-12. Neither provided the opposition that is expected at Norristown.

The Eagles have four games under their wings, winning three, and losing only to strong Allentown. Its opening night victory over Conshohocken came as a surprise to everyone, most of all to the Conshohocken element.

After playing Allentown off its feet for one quarter, the Canaries rolled to a 19-0 win, holding the Eagles attack in check for the first and only time this season.

Rador was Norri's next opponent and went down 20-14. When Olney of Philadelphia rolled up 19 points in losing to the Eagles by one touchdown, it became evident that Coach John Sweeney's team has a strong offense and a questionable defense.

If anything, the Trojan outlook is just the opposite. With a year of varsity experience behind it, the PHS forward wall has operated as expected. The untested backfield has held the pace, and in the Upper Merion game showed great potentialities.

The Trojan coaches have had the team rehearsing against Norristown plays during the two-week layover since Upper Merion. Meyers and his aides feel their pupils must stop the Eagles' potent aerial attack to win.

George "Cag" Cagliola is the magic name in Norristown. This talented triple threat has spearheaded all the Eagles' victories and ranks with the top schoolboy backs in the area.

While he is rated the No. 1 passer, reports from the Olney game indicate Jerry Bono, halfback and extra point specialist, is also a slick aerial artist. A third threat of the air arm is fullback Syl Williams.

The Eagles have been hard hit with backfield injuries, and although Elmer Himes is on the inactive list, Billy Johnson and Paul Koons may be ready to face the Trojans. Both are good runners, something the Eagles are in need of.

THE POTTSTOWN lineup includes several boys who took part in the 20-13 loss to Norristown the past season. Co-captains, Rob Sutton, Steven Chernesky and Ron Downie are the big men up front for the Trojans.

Chernesky and Downie are hale and hearty but Sutton remains on the doubtful list. An injured leg may limit his playing time. In such an event, Bill Fisher will probably take Sutton's place on offense and Don Monroe fill in on defense.

The other Trojan question mark is fullback Howie Bedell. He has been scrambling out his foot injury is not healed to the point of fulltime service. It is very likely he will continue in his safety spot on defense, and if so, more long punt returns are hoped for.

On offense handy man Carl Stahl has been learning the fullback assignments and is ready for the call if necessary. Carl, who backs up the line defensively, also can play either on the offensive halfback posts when Pottstown is on the march.

Quarterback Jim Kirk has looked sharp in the practice sessions and his performances in the first two games has exceeded his coaches best expectations. His ball handling has been very clever and his five for six passing show, with two touchdowns heaves thrown in, boosted his stock a bit further in the Upper Merion game.

Jack Bechtel and Flip Smoyer have opened both times at the halfback slots and will again start. Al Bodoius, Bill Kerr, Carl Burns and Stahl will all probably see offensive backfield duty.

ON THE LINE, Chernesky has been strictly an offensive performer this season. Should Sutton sit out much of the game, it is likely Steve, who was a line backer the past season, will get his first taste of tackling duty.

Lin Bieler will start at left end, with Milt Wensel relieving. The tackles will be Downie and Hal Rosenberg. Teamed with Sutton at the kickoff will be Bill Garow, the squat but stout—in heart, not breath—watch charmer.

Jack Babel is a fixture at center, and Ray Donnelly will come in with Stahl to back up the line. Wensel and Bodoius are also defensive starters at tackle and secondary.

A win tonight would send the Trojans into league competition Saturday, Oct. 18, undefeated against Phoenixville.

POTTSTOWN MERCURY



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Clamped



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Co-captain Steve Chernesky (above) of Pottstown High clamps his big paw around the pigskin as he receives a pass, warning up for tonight's Trojan-Norristown clash at Roosevelt field, Norristown. Chernesky, an All-Ches-Mont league selection in 1951 will be in there at offensive end as PHS tries its luck for the first time away from home this year.

Gets 'Em All

Zern Top Grid Guesser

For the first time this year, a perfect slate was turned in to the Football Forecaster's contest of The Mercury, and as a result Ken Zern, 146 Walnut street, Pottstown, hit all 10 games, and even guessed Purdue's win over Ohio State by the exact score. Since his was the only all-right entry, Zern's pick there wasn't necessary, though.

In second spot, this week, was Donald Kovach, 250 Walnut street, Pottstown, with nine out of ten. Kovach missed the Purdue game, but topped four others who had all but one right for the runnerup prize of two tickets to the Pottstown-Phoenixville tilt at Franklin field next Saturday.

Zern is entitled to four ducats to the Trojan-Phantom clash. This week's return of 79 forms was, by far, the largest of the current season, and continued the steady rise of the number of entries submitted each week to the Football Forecaster's editor.

ACTUAL SCORES
(Zern's Scores in Parentheses)
So. California 14 (28), Army 0 (14).
Purdue 7 (28), Dartmouth 9 (7).

Trojanettes Meet Phoenixville Today
Pottstown High Trojanettes will play their third game of the season today at Phoenixville.

The past Thursday, Margaret Mailady's team was rained out in the third quarter in its scoreless game with Bridgeport.

A win today would be the Trojanettes first of the year.

Princeton Aims To Beat Penn For No. 25

PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 8.—Princeton aims its football scoring sights on powerful Pennsylvania in the East's "game of the day" Saturday with two targets hanging on a bullseye.

Running its victory string to 25 straight games and possibly cornering the Ivy league title.

A sellout crowd of 49,000 already is assured for the battle in Palmer Stadium.

Pre-season sages billed Penn and Princeton—both advocates of the single-wing—as co-favorites for Ivy honors.

The oddsmakers, with an eye on the two games each has played thus far, give Princeton the edge but Coach Charley Caldwell is having none of it.

"Sure," he said today, "Penn looked poor in nipping Dartmouth, 7-0, last week, but maybe they just had a bad day."

"I CAN'T figure it out," Princeton's scholarly looking head mentor added, "I don't even know where we stand, let alone Penn." "I'm not saying we'll win because Penn always is tough. And I'm not saying Penn is the toughest test we'll have either. They're all tough when you're on top."

"In fact, we expect trouble with Cornell, Dartmouth and Yale, too," said Caldwell, obviously not one to go out on a limb.

Penn tied rugged Notre Dame, 7-7, the week before its lusterless performance against Dartmouth.

The Princeton Tigers trimmed Columbia, 14-0, and buried corpse-like Rutgers, 61-19, for their 23rd and 24th consecutive victories since 1949 when the now graduated Dick Kazmaier & Co. set the streak in motion.

Hill Wins 1st In Soccer

Captain Bill Andrews paced his Hill soccer team to a 4-0 win over the Haverford college Jayvees yesterday on the Blues' field, kicking in with a pair of goals.

The win for the locals evoked their season's ledger at 1-1, having dropped a 1-0 nod to the Princeton Freshmen in the opener the past Saturday.

Andrews tallied the first two Hill goals, one each in the second and third periods, and opened the gates for the two others with sparkling line play.

His first score, a lightning blast from in front of the net, knocked the Haverford goalie over and went on into the cage. That came with a minute and a half left in the half.

Ten seconds before the third period was out, Andrews pumped another goal home from out of a scramble.

Bill Hayes dribbled the length of the field to whack the third one in and Carlos Sauma bounced a corner kick off a foe fullback for the final Hill tally. Both of those counts came in the final period.

LINEUPS
Haverford Co. JV
Outsides: Sutton, Ball, Baker, Inns.
Inside: Winn, Barwick, Woznicki, Center: Singh.
Halfbacks: Masland, Reed, Turley, Gifford.
Fullbacks: Hardt, Hoag, Goale: Frier, Hannon.
The Hill
Outsides: Andrews, DeShriver, Sauma, Inside: Lewis, Deas, Pineda, Center: Hayes, Robertson.
Halfbacks: Pressinger, Valentine, Caine, Appel, Ralston, Fullbacks: Kirtz, Doherty, Goale: Holmgren, Haverford.
The Hill scoring: Andrews 2, Hayes, Sauma.

Five right—Gordon Kowalski, Wayne Deegan, Marie Seybold, Al Panfil, Mrs. Eva Stricker and Bob Ribendall.

Four right—Dick Von Hohen, Bob Stevens and Ray Fabel.

YANKEES CLEANUP

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Here's the way the World Series money is distributed in an unofficial breakdown:

New York Yankee players—\$210,001.12.

Yankee individual share (based on unofficial 31-man split)—\$6176.51.

Brooklyn players—\$110,000.94.

Brooklyn individual share (based on unofficial 33-man split)—\$1424.15.

Cleveland players' second place pool—\$37,500.25.

New York Giant players' second place pool—\$37,500.25.

Chicago White Sox players' third place pool—\$25,000.17.

St. Louis Card players' third place pool—\$25,000.17.

Philadelphia A's players' fourth place pool—\$12,500.09.

Philadelphia Phils players' fourth place pool—\$12,500.09.

Commissioner's share—\$213,402.96.

New York Yankee club shares—\$119,834.20.

Brooklyn Dodger club share—\$219,834.20.

American League share—\$219,834.20.

National League share—\$219,834.20.

Battle at 8 p. m.

Norco Plays Bears in 1st at Home

In the first clash of Big and Little Perkiomen league teams, Boyertown will travel to North Coventry tonight to play the Wildcats in their home opener.

point ends will be looking for their first victories in the campaign. Norco then Collegeville, 5-6, in its only game to date, and the Bears have dropped decisions to Royersford and West Reading.

Coaches Al Brown and Bob Fleming are standing pat on their plunger backs up the line on de-mate at guard will be Larry Ts, but Norco shifted into a single wing against the Colonels and may again deploy this formation.

The Wildcats will be out to good reason. The Bears broke out in a rash of passing against West at the hands of the Bears. With Reading with Greg Lignelli doing a squad now numbering 33, the best turnout in 15 years at the Chester county school, Brown feels this year's team will pave the way for an improved grid outlook in the next few years.

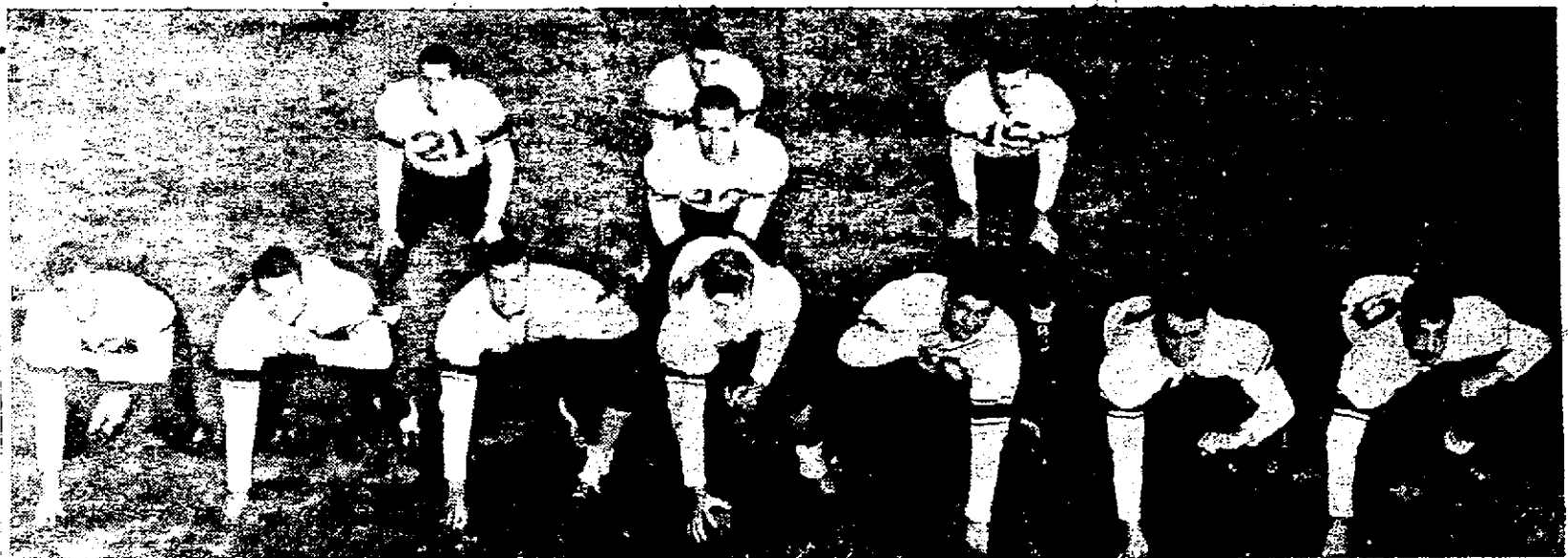
The squad is made up, of the greater part, of Seniors and Sophomores. The upper classmen, led by captain Fred Kerlin will carry the bulk of the load. One of the better Sophomores is Ronnie Domin, the Wildcats' leading ball carrier in the opener.

Duke Kinckner played a hard game against Collegeville and will operate at the quarterback post. In the single wing, Duke will run from the deep position.

Rounding out the offensive back-field is Lowell Fries, who scored ill effects of his shock injury pected when the Bears and Wild-Norco's TD in the tie game, and against Collegeville and will anchor cats fullback Bill Whitlach. This husky the Norco forward. His running the Norco field.

Both lines are small and Wildcats. Fries Kerlin showed no field is Lowell Fries, who scored ill effects of his shock injury pected when the Bears and Wild-Norco's TD in the tie game, and against Collegeville and will anchor cats fullback Bill Whitlach. This husky the Norco forward. His running the Norco field.

Still Looking



—Mercury Sportsphoto

Golden Cubs Travel To Coatesville Today

Pottstown fans will have to wait another week before they see the Junior High school team in action at home, and by that time the Golden Cubs hope to have their second win of the season under their belts.

For the second week in a row they play away, this time at Coatesville against Gordon Junior high. The past week's 12-6 win over Memorial Junior High of Phoenixville, ran the Cubs streak to eight straight.

Coach Gene Kauler will use the same starting lineup that opened at Phoenixville.

All he knows about the Gordon club is:

"They always give us our toughest game and they operate from a single wing."

With that limited but experienced knowledge, Kauler has been scrimmaging his team in an all-out effort.

A minor casualty in the person of captain Ed Sabresky turned up Tuesday when the husky guard injured an ankle. The leg has responded to treatment and Sabresky will start today although he may play only part time.

AT THE ENDS for today's kick-

runners against Ardmore.

Holmes is Milwaukee Pilot

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Brooklyn-born Tommy Holmes, who got manager of the Braves' American into his second World Series this association farm club, the Milwaukee year as a result of being fired as kee Brewers, after General Manager of the Boston Braves, re-ger Boh Quinn of the Braves ob-

turner to the Boston organization, gained Brooklyn's permission to and to managing today.

negotiate with him.

Still looking for that first win after two setbacks is Boyertown High's football team, which meets Norco this evening on the "Cats" grid. The line (left to right) is: Jim Heydt, Pete Fronheiser, Dick Fronheiser, Joss Rothenberger, Hal Bernhart, Dave Keyser and co-captain Dan Schoenly. Under center is quarterback Greg Lignelli, with Howie Body (21) at left half, and Dick Ludy (15) at right. The fullback is the other co-captain, Terry Shauner.

Jacobs Softball Team Honored

Jacobs softball team of the City Softball league was treated to a banquet by its sponsor at the Maria Asunta lodge last night with more than 115 persons attending.

League director Ed Good served as toast master and introduced several speakers.

Fred Lane personnel director of Jacobs gave a short address and then presented pitcher Hal Endy with a trophy who was voted outstanding player of the year.

After a poor start Jacobs fought its way up in the league standings with a late season spurt. After tying for fourth place it lost out in a playoff for a spot in the post season games.

Others who Good introduced were John Schultz, team manager, and Bob Reis, recreation director.

A dance followed the dinner.

Irish Linemen Prep for Pitt

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Oct. 8.—Notre Dame linemen went through a brief scrimmage today as the team prepared for its first home game Saturday with the University of Pittsburgh.

Dave Flood, senior defensive line-backer who suffered a bruised shoulder in last Saturday's game with Texas, returned to practice and may be ready for the Pittsburgh game.

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ATTORNEY SAYS ADVICE IGNORED

House Probers Hear
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Grain Was Overridden

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP)—A Justice department attorney told House investigators today that he overrode a recommendation by the Food and Drug administration that the Government seize a carload of contaminated grain from the Pabst Brewing company.

John T. Grigsby testified that he permitted the grain to be burned by the brewers. As a result, a civil case against the Milwaukee firm was dismissed for lack of evidence. Food and drug inspectors had reported the grain was infected with rodents and insects.

The story was developed at a hearing held by the House judiciary subcommittee, which is investigating the administration of the Justice department under J. Howard McGrath, former attorney general.

Grigsby related that he made the decision the past year after being approached by Rauld Berger, a former Justice department lawyer who represented the brewery. At the time Grigsby was a trial attorney in the department's criminal division.

He said it was Mrs. Grace Stewart, McGrath's executive assistant, who told him Berger wanted to discuss the case. Grigsby added that he was under no pressure to make the decision, and that he did not discuss the case with other Justice department officials.

THE DECISION was based, Grigsby said, on an interpretation that seizure powers under the pure food law were not intended to be punitive but were designed solely to prevent contaminated merchandise from reaching the public.

But Rep. Keating of New York, ranking Republican member on the subcommittee, and George P. Larrick, deputy food and drug administrator, agreed during an exchange that seizure constituted "a deterrent factor" in the law because it brought public notice of judgment.

Testimony at several points pictured Pabst officials as anxious to avoid any publicity in the case.

Jailors of Oatis Permit Conference With Embassy Official

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP)—The Czechoslovak jailors of William N. Oatis, Associated Press correspondent, have permitted him to have a second meeting with an American embassy official. Secretary of State Acheson disclosed today.

The newsman is held on a "spy" conviction which the American Government has denounced as a frameup.

At the meeting, which took place yesterday at police headquarters in Prague, Oatis was assured that he has "not been forgotten" and that efforts to obtain his release are being pressed, Acheson said.

The embassy official, Counselor Nat B. King, reported that Oatis "appeared in about the same physical and mental condition as when he was last seen" by Ambassador Ellis O. Briggs on April 30. Oatis said at that time that his health was good.

THESE HAVE been the only conferences the Czechs have allowed Oatis to have with American representatives since the newsman was first imprisoned nearly 18 months ago.

Acheson read a summary of King's report at his news conference. Then, asked whether the new development indicated that Oatis might soon be freed, he said no conclusion should be drawn one way or another about such a prospect.

The talk with King, like the meeting with Ambassador Briggs, was held in the presence of Czech officials, Acheson said.

The first heavyweight championship fight to be broadcast was the Dempsey-Carpentier battle on July 2, 1921, from Boyle's Thirty Acres in Jersey City, N. J.

LOCAL NOTICES

Dr. Jack Wenzelstein will be out of town Oct. 11 to Nov. 4, inclusive.

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Outgoing and newly-installed officers match smiles as they exchange symbols of authority at the combined installations of Odd Fellow and Rebekah officers, held last night in the Odd Fellows' Temple, 260 King street. In picture at left Noble Grand Corrine Bechtel left receives the gavel from outgoing Noble Grand LaRue Seifert, right. Between them stands Martha Platt, district deputy in charge of installations for the Rebekah Lodge, IOOF. The newly-installed noble grand will preside over Lady Wittenmyer Lodge 20, the local chapter. In picture on the right Officers of Manatway Lodge 244, IOOF, are shown. Christopher Hollenbach, past noble grand, third from left, turns over the gavel to Harry Keeler, right, newly installed noble grand. Looking on with interest are, left to right, George Rittenhouse, treasurer; Dee M. Wampler, vice grand; and Harry N. Rowland, secretary. About 200 Odd Fellows, Rebekahs, and friends attended the ceremonies. (Story on Page 1).

US Hospital Plane Shot at Enroute to Berlin by Two Jets

BERLIN, Oct. 8 (AP)—Two Soviet jet fighters made several passes at a Berlin-bound US Air Force hospital plane over the Russian zone of Germany today and one fired machinegun bursts, but the plane escaped undamaged into cloud cover and landed here safely.

The jets were MIG-15s, used by the Communists in Korea. The American ship, which does not carry hospital markings, was a C-47.

Maj. Gen. Lemuel B. Hathewson, US Commandant of Berlin, protested hotly to the Soviet command in Berlin, declaring "I demand that this unwarranted and uncivilized behavior of Soviet aircraft cease at once."

Mathewson told reporters the plane, bound from Frankfurt to Berlin to pick up nine Army patients and take them back to military base hospitals in Frankfurt, was on course and at a proper 7000 foot altitude in the Allied flight corridor to Berlin when the challenge came over Koenigern, Saxony.

In a hot protest, Mathewson acknowledged that unexpected winds might have forced the plane unintentionally off course.

Pilot Capt. James P. Peterson, 33, Madison, Wis., told reporters in Frankfurt after the plane returned there later in the day: "They could have shot us down if they had wanted to."

THE RETURN FLIGHT was without incident.

It was believed in Frankfurt to be the first time since the war that Russian planes have opened fire on an American plane flying the Berlin corridor.

Soviet fighter gunfire ripped open an Air France line plane near the same area the past April and wounded two German passengers.

Co-pilot Maj. George A. Beere, 39, San Antonio, Tex., was the only one of the six-man crew who saw the machinegun fire spouting from one of the two Soviet jets.

"First we thought they were playing around," he said. "Then they wagged their wings at us. They didn't look so friendly, and when one of them opened up we started getting a little worried and hit for a cloud bank."

Peterson said the jets could have been signaling "for us to follow them to land." But that was an afterthought, he said. His first thought was to dive into the nearest cloud bank and escape.

OTHER MEMBERS of the crew were Flight Nurse Lt. Margaret McGuinness, 29, Somers, Conn.; Airman John J. Wiesner, 22, Milwaukee, Wis.; Airman Max Y. Garrison, 22, Alexis, N. C.; and Radioman Ralph F. Palmer, 20, Kansas City, Kans.

Beere was a World War II pilot and is credited with five combat missions over Korea. Peterson, a six-footer, was a B-17 bomber pilot in World War II.

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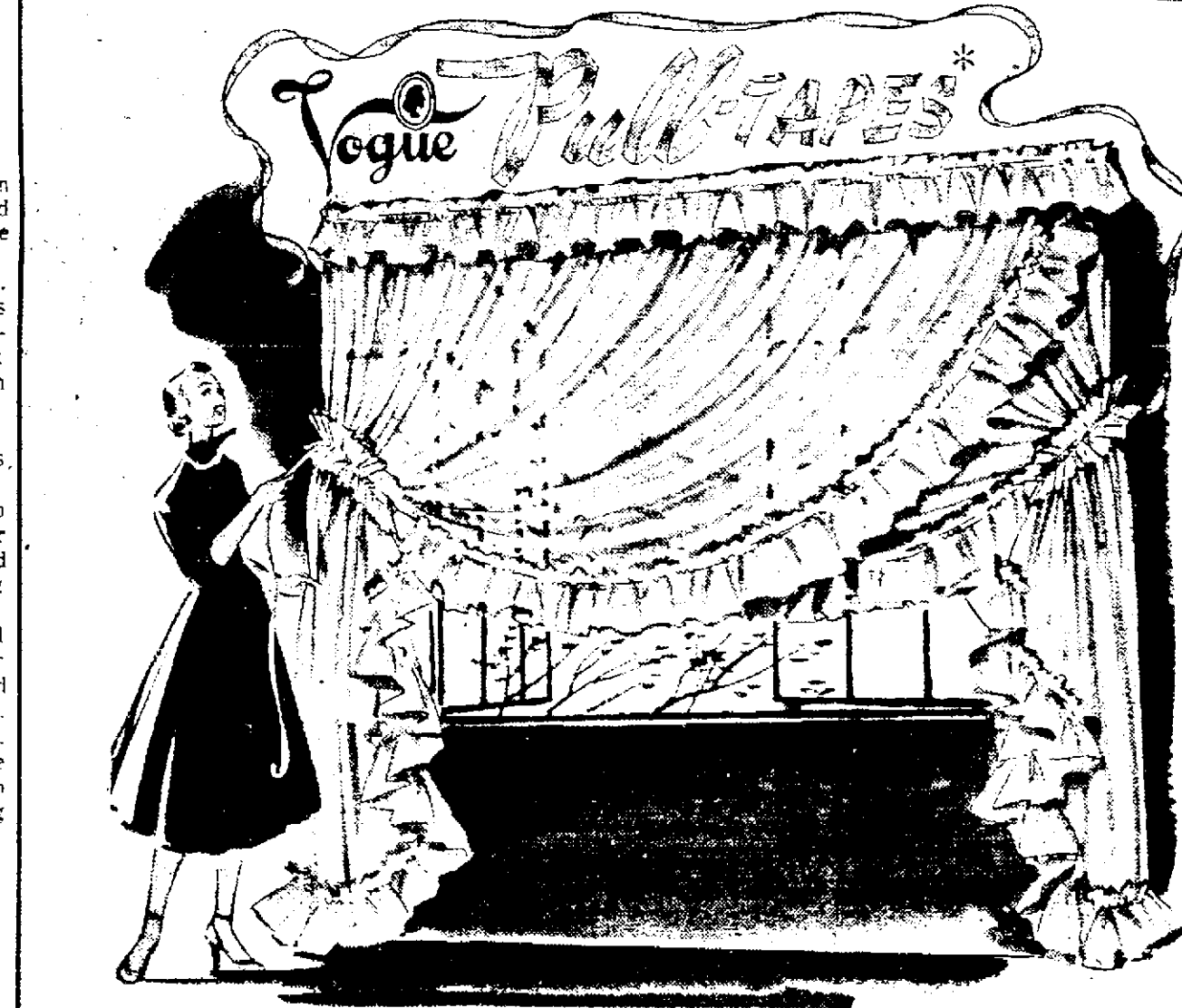
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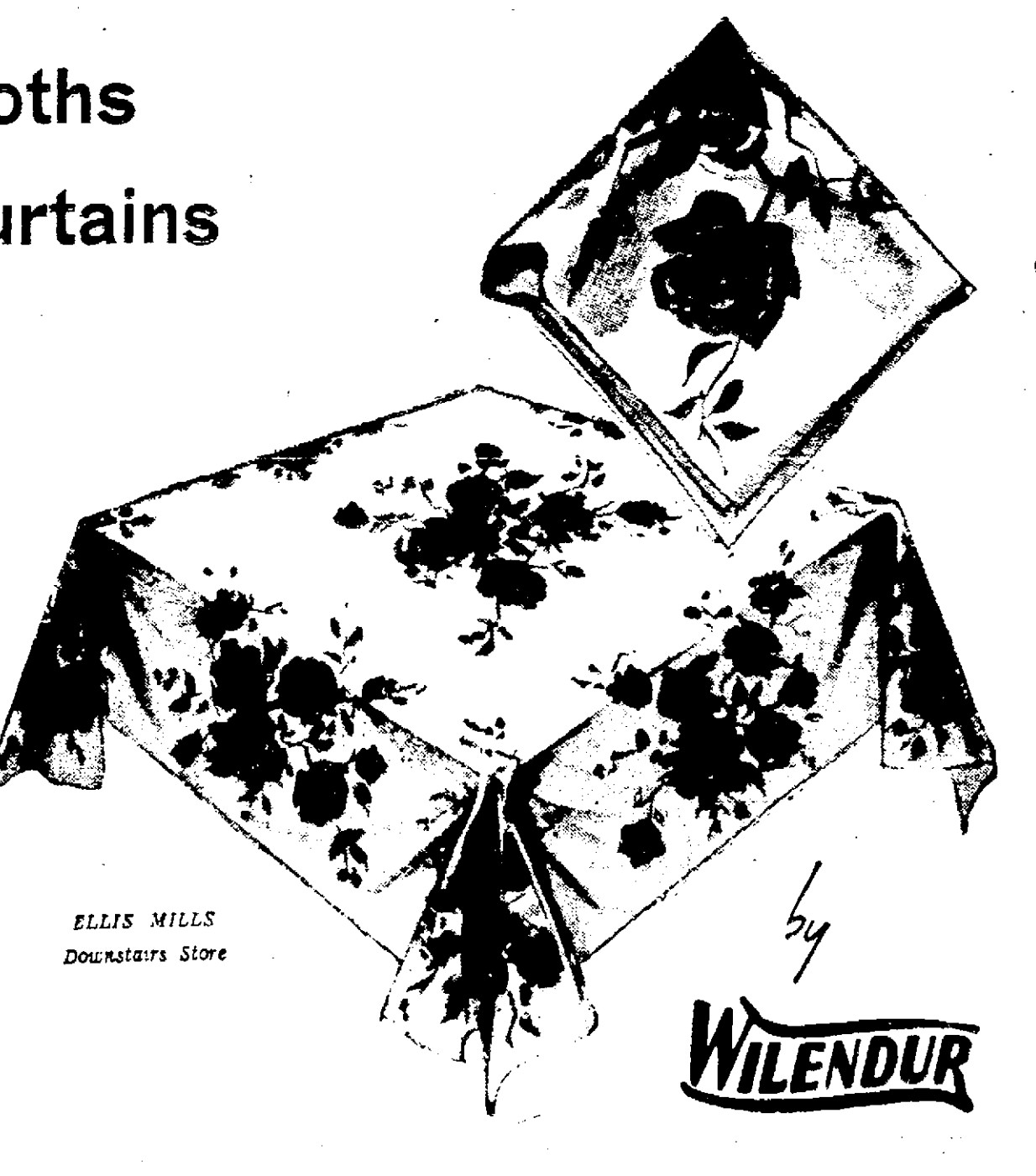
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Kefauver Says Truman Has Negative Effect

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8 (AP)—Sen. Estes Kefauver, arriving here to speak in behalf of the Democratic presidential ticket, said today he thought President Truman's "whistle-stop tour has had a 'negative effect' for Governor Adlai Stevenson.

Asked by a newsman if he thought the Truman appearances had had any effect on Stevenson's prestige, the Tennessee Democrat said:

"I definitely think that his (Truman's) appearance has had a negative effect. Personally, if I had been the candidate I would not have wanted that type of program."

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Being sportswriters, or something thereabouts, we try to keep out of political discussions, so I'll not mention any names here. But someone had better call on the committee, because three individuals are setting up a monopoly in the Perk grid circuit.

Upper Perkiomen's Gerry Hummel, Garry Grater of Royersford and West Pottsgrove's Paul Stryzelecki—with only one game under the pants-holder of each—have accounted for almost half of the league's 24 touchdowns scored to date in three games.

Strez leads the pack by virtue of his four TD's against Schwenksville the past weekend. Hummel picked up one less while the Black-clads were blitzing Spring City, and Grater got three quick ones to put Royersford in the van against Boyertown.

WP's Dale McNamee stands next in the race to succeed John Moorehead as Perkiomen-Schuylkill Valley HSAA scoring head. The Falcon fullback has 13 points on a pair of six-pointers and one point after touchdown against the Bluebirds.

The Eagles' Al Wolfe is getting there the hard way. He converted five out of six points after touchdown against Boyertown almost two weeks ago for his only points.

There won't be any change in league scoring figures after tonight for over a week, as nobody plays in loop competition until next Friday.

AT THAT TIME, it's Royersford and Collesville, and, at the moment, both teams are tied down with troublesome injuries. The Colts got the worst of it, though. Bill Yeagle, the Junior halfback who scored their only TD of the year—against Norco, is out with a badly smashed nose.

How long Bill's plastered proboscis will keep him out will be unknown until this afternoon, coach Bob Hackman said last night. He added that Yeagle will definitely not be ready for the Wyoming game this week, but said hopefully that he wished he'd have his ace back for the Ford's a week from tomorrow evening.

To replace Yeagle this week, Senior end Jim Hefelfinger—a back the past year—will be backed again. Captain Jim Harrington, another end, may be called into the ball-carrying corps if he's needed, along with ninth-grader Bob Opperman.

Sophomore Bill Hales will draw the starting assignment at left end in place of Hefelfinger, who will be joining his brother, Gerry, as a halfback.

AS FOR THE 'Ford's "troublesome injury," it's quarterback-safety man Lou Alexander wearing the "fragile" label right now. — Louie, one of the league's best defensive backs over a period of years, and this year the Eagle field general, got himself pretty well banged up in Tuesday's intra-squad scrimmage.

It's nothing really serious, however, and though Bob McNelly "hopes he'll be around Saturday night," we've got a feeling that even should Clyde Beatty's Legion of Lost Lions bar his path, Lou would make it out to the ball game. He's that way.

Covering the long shot, Junior Jack Strunk is being drilled to come in there as offensive quarter if Alex fails to round into shape. Strunk, a lanky six-footer, has played all year as a defensive half along with Hen Wojton.

WE WERE UNABLE to contact Schwenksville head coach Frank Schutz on Monday evening for his lament on the 52-0 pounding handed out by the Stowe Sledgehammer and his Block and Tackle company.

We got ahold of him (Schutz, that is) last night, anyhow, and naturally found him full of information on the West Pottsgrove offensive. We saw eight touchdowns worth of it over the weekend.

The 'Bird mentor didn't take any praise from the Strez, but he was amazed at the hatchet-model downfield blocking with which the Falcons felled his fellows.

Caught with his backfield down, as it were, by the resignation of a starting quarterback and fullback from the team, Schutz' eleven found itself grossly unprepared to meet with what presented itself in the person of the Falcons.

He said his club looked a whole lot better against the Perkiomen Jayvees yesterday, especially fullback Tom Newrock, now a full-size 200-pounder, and end Bob Reifsnnyder, who should develop into a real threat on passes.

The essence of Frank's commentary was this: "We were demoralized by losing those two boys (Johnny Herrlinger and Bill Stone), but we're coming along and we should be better for Norco on the 18th... they (WP) have it (The Little Four) sewed up... that Stryzelecki must have a terrific personality... when he's in there, there's something that keeps 'em going... they block and tackle viciously... and when they get five guys out in front of him (Strez), he's awful hard to get to... they deserve a great deal of credit."

It's No Joke

Casey Kids About Winning 9 Pennants

NEW YORK, Oct. 8 (AP)—Casey drove in 134 runs. Stengel gave him the "old perfer-sers" wink when they asked him how it felt to win four straight World Series.

"It's a short record," he said. "Won't stand up. You got to win eight or nine before they pay any attention."

Old Casey was kidding, of course. But there is no hint that Stengel or his New York Yankees expect to stop with a record-tying four straight World Series or 19 pennants.

Whitey Ford comes marching home from the Army in November. A new crop of muscle men, sprouting at Kansas City, is edging toward Yankee Stadium.

Ford, of course, would be a tremendous lift to the pitching staff's "big three" of Allie Reynolds, Vic Raschi and Eddie Lopat. The spunky little lefthander stepped right out of the minors to help pitch the Yanks to the pennant in '50 and turned in a fine World Series job before he went into service.

Big prize in the Yank farm system is supposed to be Bill Skowron, an ex-Purdue football player who was voted "rookie of the year" in the American Association. The husky right-handed hitter slugged Triple A pitching for a .341 average, hit 31 home runs and

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Charles KO's Reynolds in Round 2

CINCINNATI, Oct. 8 (AP)—Ezzard Charles, former heavyweight champion, tonight knocked out Bernie Reynolds of Cliffside, N. J. in one minute and 40 seconds of the second round of a scheduled 12-round bout.

Charles, weighing 189, felt his finisher with a series of left and rights to the chin in the second. Reynolds weighed 187.

Charles, fighting his first bout in his home town in two years, was sharp and in wonderful condition. He took several heavy body punches in the first round and delivered the same to his 23-year-old opponent.

At the beginning of the second round, Charles, scenting a quick victory, came out of his corner punching. Reynolds tried to exchange punches, but three quick lefts to the chin, a couple of rights, and another left sent him sprawling on his back, where he was counted out.

Charles, who told reporters before the fight that he was out to stop Reynolds faster than the present world's heavyweight champion—Rocky Marciano—ripped his opponent with sharp lefts and rights from the beginning of the bout. He seldom missed.

Marciano knocked out Reynolds in the third round when they met.

"Now, I want another crack at the title," said Charles. "I think I can take Marciano. He's not nearly as good as Joe Walcott, who took the title from me by a knockout and held it last June because I didn't fight the right kind of a bout."

"I'll TAKE care of Rocky if and when," Charles said. He was not bothered by the few hefty punches that Reynolds landed in the first round. As he had announced earlier, he was on top of his man all the way and did not give him an opportunity to get set for a lethal punch.

Sens Release Three Veteran Ball Players

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP)—The Washington Senators today announced the unconditional release of three ballplayers.

They are pitchers Tom Ferrick and Joe Haynes and catcher Clyde Klutts.

Haynes, however, will be retained with the team as a pitching coach, used mostly in relief during the past season with the Senators. Haynes wound up with an 0-3 record.

Klutts, 33, who came to the Senators from the St. Louis Browns in 1951, played in 58 games in 1952 and batted .223.

Ferrick, a 37-year-old right-hander, won four and lost three for the Senators. As a 10-year man in the majors, the Senators said Ferrick is now free to negotiate for himself with any club to stay in the majors.

Indians Ban Winter Baseball

CLEVELAND, Oct. 8 (AP)—General Manager Hank Greenberg said today his Cleveland Indians, with one exception, may not play Winter league baseball this season.

The exception is rookie pitcher Dick Weik, who expects to get out of the Army soon and wants to make some extra money as well as get into shape again. Greenberg said he has asked baseball Commissioner Ford Frick to let Weik hurl in a Winter league.

Sam Jones may be one of the reasons for the ban on extra-curricular baseball. Jones, who twirled in the Puerto Rico Winter league last year, reported for Spring training with the Indians with a sore arm. He finally was sent to Indianapolis.

In his edict today, Greenberg said: "We are allowing only those in our system who are not considered prospect to play during the off-season. We pay good salaries; and see no reason to jeopardize our investments."

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Army, Irish Discuss Grid Resumption

WEST POINT, N. Y., Oct. 8 (AP)—The athletic directors of Notre Dame and Army have informally discussed the possibility of resuming football relations but a source close to the Army athletic department said today that while such a game may come eventually it is not now in sight.

The athletic directors — Earl H. Blaik of Army, who is also the Army coach, and Edward W. Krause of Notre Dame—together with Coach Frank Leahy of Notre Dame played golf together here recently and the subject was raised.

Before negotiations could start, the athletic council would need to give its approval, and it has taken no action.


Even if the way could be cleared it would be several years before Army can rebuild its football team, wrecked by the 1951 cribbing dismissals, to the level where it could compete against Notre Dame.

For many years the Army-Notre Dame game was one of the highlights of the football season. It was usually played in Yankee Stadium in New York and always drew capacity audiences. The two city football players is 19 years old, Miss. and Hal Miller, of Kingsport, Tenn., are co-captains of the Georgia Tech football team.

Meet the Trojans

This will be a regular MERCURY feature to acquaint football fans with players on the Pottstown High school team.

HAROLD ROSENBERGER, Senior left tackle... Playing his second year of varsity ball as a lineman... Has been used chiefly on offense this year because of fine blocking ability... Is small for a tackle, weighing only 170 pounds, and is 5 feet 11 inches tall... Rosy is 16 years old... First played football in Junior High where he was a backfield man... Came out for high school team late in his Sophomore year... In early practices of 1951 was tried first in the backfield and then as an end before coaches decided tackle was his best position... Against heavier opposing tackles he has been more than holding his own... Suffered a sprained ankle a few days before the opening game against Lansdale but played anyhow... Was still partially hobbled against Upper Merion, but after the two-week layoff is ready to go against Norristown tonight... Could be used on defense as he has performed capably in that department in practice... Wears jersey No. 43... Lives with mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rosenberg, of Sanatoga... Is a vocational student... Won his first varsity letter the past year.



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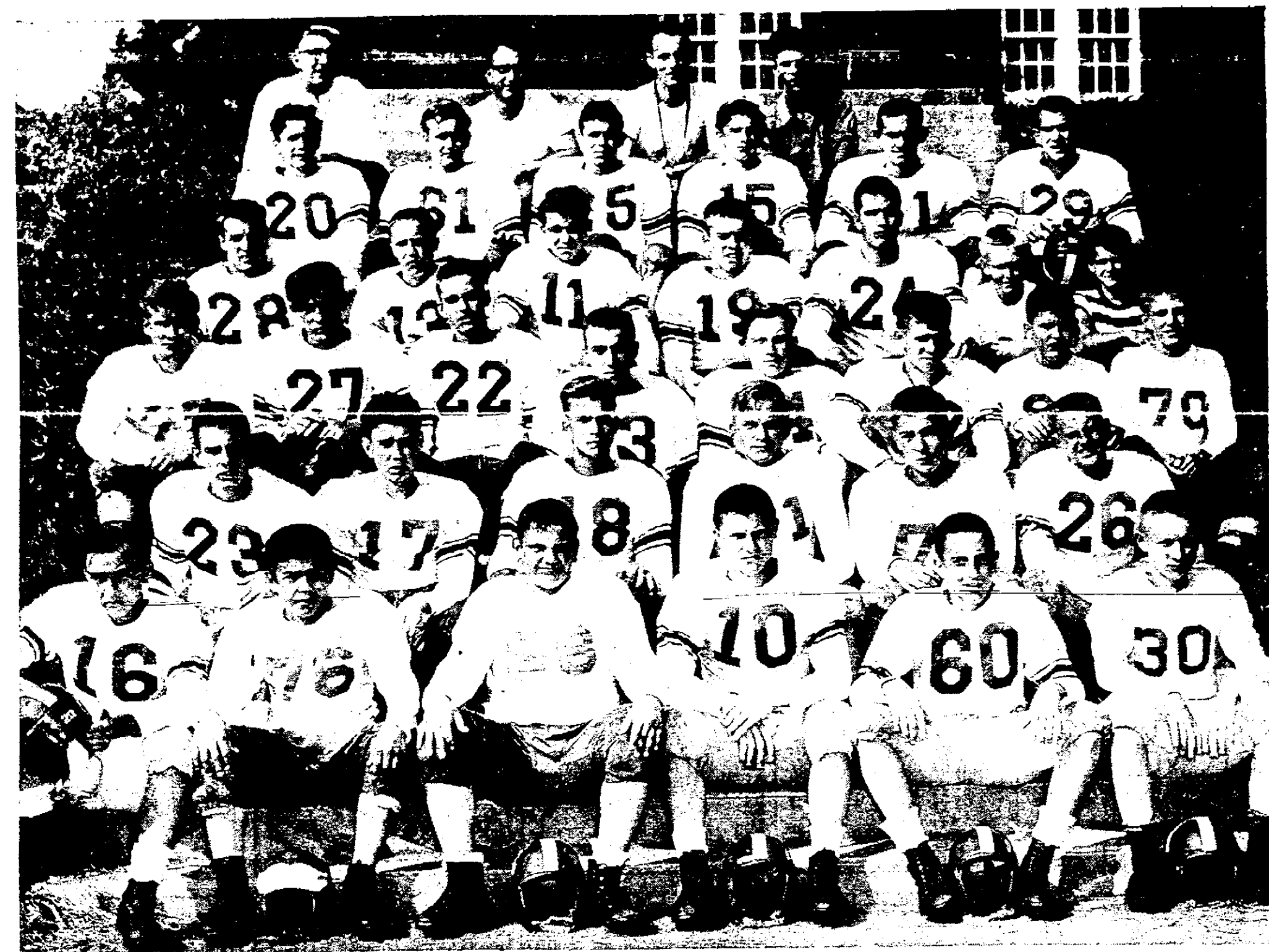
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Hot Tickets Burned Says Herm Taylor

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8 (AP)—The Philadelphia Revenue commission and boxing promoter Herman Taylor were embroiled in a dispute today over what happened to some 16,000 tickets to the recent heavy-weight title bout between Jersey Joe Walcott and Rocky Marciano.

Commissioner George S. Forde says the tickets are unaccounted for and have not been produced for audit as required by city law. Therefore, Forde said, he had no choice but to bill Taylor for the \$25,000 in city tax which the tickets would have yielded.

Taylor said the tickets were not sold. He told Forde that they were burned by mistake. He said, however, that they were seen and checked by the Pennsylvania State Athletic Commission right after the bout.

Taylor reported a tax-paid attendance of 35,544 for the Sept. 23 fight at the Municipal Stadium. On the basis of that attendance he sent a check for \$41,606.91 for the amusement tax. Forde and his chief deputy, Raymond J. Buckley, started an audit. They said it was planned even before Taylor submitted his figure.

The firm that printed the tickets certified that 70,000 were turned over to Taylor. Forde said Taylor was able to account for all but 16,000 of the duets. The revenue commissioner contended he has no way of knowing if they were sold.

"The amusement tax requires taxpayers to retain unused tickets and not to destroy them until authorized to do so by the department of collections," said Forde.

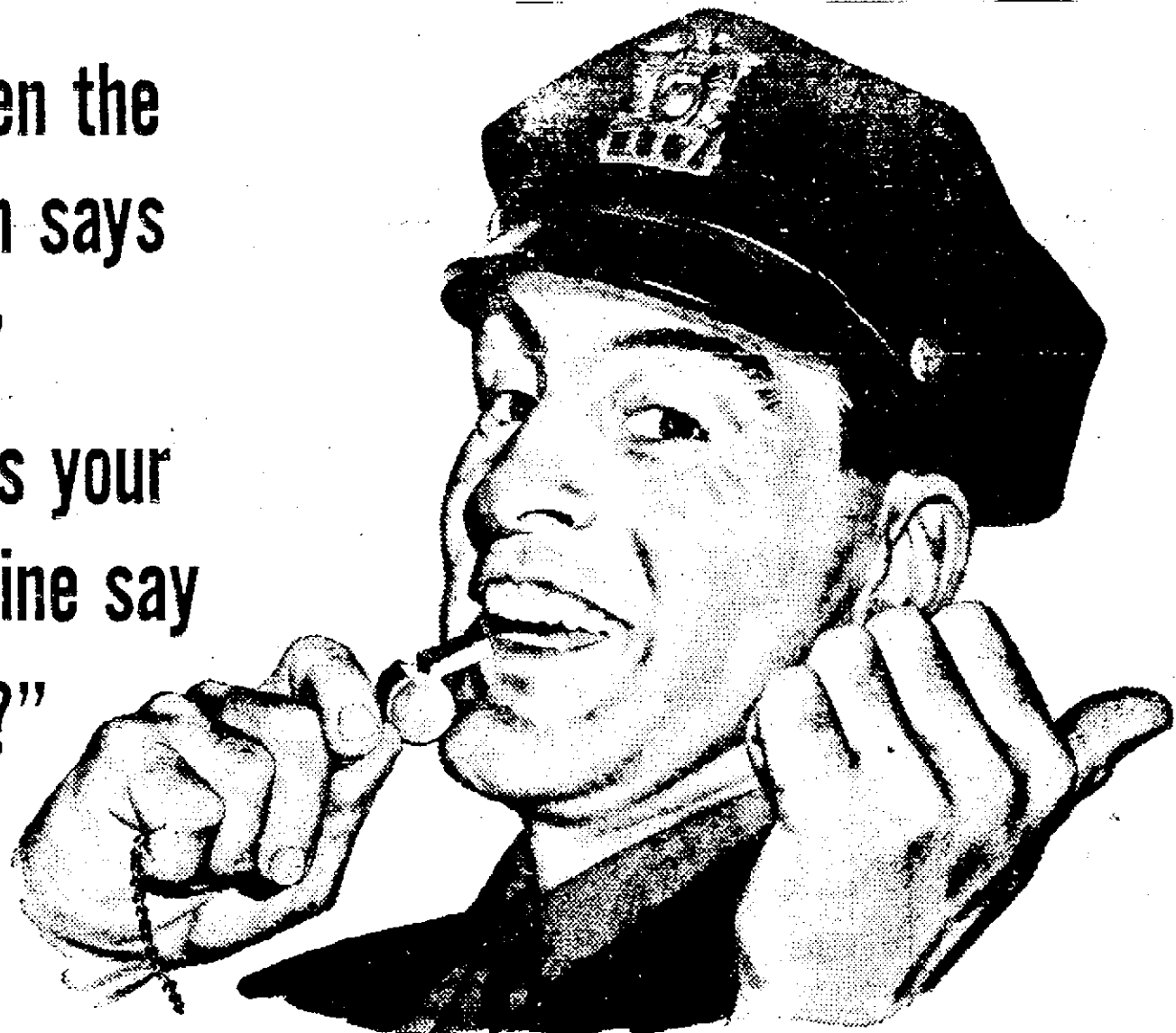
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OPENS OCT. 14 ICE CAPEDES OF 1953 Featuring LERNER & LOEW'S BRIGADOON AS ONE OF 10 BIG PRODUCTIONS Tickets On Sale for First Week Only Downtown Ticket Office 1423 Walnut St. Gimbels and Arcade Prices: Boxseats \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.25, \$4.50, \$4.75, \$5.00, \$5.25, \$5.50, \$5.75, \$6.00, \$6.25, \$6.50, \$6.75, \$7.00, \$7.25, \$7.50, \$7.75, \$8.00, \$8.25, \$8.50, \$8.75, \$9.00, \$9.25, \$9.50, \$9.75, \$10.00, \$10.25, \$10.50, \$10.75, \$11.00, \$11.25, \$11.50, \$11.75, \$12.00, \$12.25, \$12.50, \$12.75, \$13.00, \$13.25, \$13.50, \$13.75, \$14.00, \$14.25, \$14.50, \$14.75, \$15.00, \$15.25, \$15.50, \$15.75, \$16.00, \$16.25, \$16.50, \$16.75, \$17.00, \$17.25, \$17.50, \$17.75, \$18.00, \$18.25, \$18.50, \$18.75, \$19.00, \$19.25, \$19.50, \$19.75, \$20.00, \$20.25, \$20.50, \$20.75, \$21.00, \$21.25, \$21.50, \$21.75, \$22.00, \$22.25, \$22.50, \$22.75, \$23.00, \$23.25, \$23.50, \$23.75, 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MORNING

Hour	KYW NBC 1060 K	WCAU CBS 1210 K	WFIL ABC 560 K	WIP MBS 610 K
6:30	Jack Pyle Show	John Trent	LeRoy Miller	News
7:00	Jack Pyle Show	News: Weather Here's Horner	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire Comedy
7:30	News: Music	News	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire Comedy
8:00	Jack Pyle Show	That Man Sears	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire Comedy
8:30	News: Jack Pyle Show	News	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire Comedy
9:00	Ruth Welles	Victor Lindisfar	Morning Extra	News
9:30	Victor Lindisfar	Victor Lindisfar	Breakfast Club	News
10:00	Welcomes	Women Only	My True Story	News
10:30	Travelers	News	Whispering Street	News
11:00	Nothing	Arthur Godfrey	Two of Morning	News
11:30	Strike It Rich	Arthur Godfrey	Little Show	News
12:00	Bob and Ray	Women Only	Bank Bank	Queen For A Day

AFTERNOON

Hour	KYW NBC 1060 K	WCAU CBS 1210 K	WFIL ABC 560 K	WIP MBS 610 K
12:30	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
1:00	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
1:30	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
2:00	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
2:30	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
3:00	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
3:30	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
4:00	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
4:30	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
5:00	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser

EVENING

Hour	KYW NBC 1060 K	WCAU CBS 1210 K	WFIL ABC 560 K	WIP MBS 610 K
6:30	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
7:00	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
7:30	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
8:00	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
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9:00	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
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10:00	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
10:30	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser
11:00	News	Wendy Warren	Jack Berch	Curt Masser

IT'S QUEER OR TRUE

SCRAPS

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ROOM and BOARD by GENE AHEARN

AND I THINK BOTH OF THE GUYS ARE WORKING ON THE GAME ON THE JUDGE. THE FIRST ONE FEELS HIM FOR \$2000. AND NOW A SECOND GUY COMES ALONG TO BITE INTO THE CORE FOR THE REST OF HIS MONEY. THREATENS THE JUDGE WITH A \$75,000 LAW SUIT. OR SETTLE OUT OF COURT FOR \$1000!

SOUNDS LIKE A BIGGER SHAKEDOWN THAN A WALNUT TREE! I'D LIKE TO MEET THEM APES!

WAIT AROUND JUNIOR!

THE OLD HOME TOWN by STANLEY

HE BEING ASLEEP I KNEW HE COULDN'T READ THE SIGN - BUT I DIDN'T EXPECT HIS HANDS WOULD BE AWAKE!

I SEE WHAT YOU MEAN!

KEEP OUT

THAT SLEEPWALKER FROM ELM STREET!

TODAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS

1. Garden tool

5. Support

9. Bundler

10. Father of Leah and Rachel (Bib.)

12. Oil of rose petals

13. Old womanish

14. Sign of the zodiac

15. Mine entrance

17. Rough lava

18. Fish

19. Entangle

20. Perform

21. Fashion

22. Touch

23. Working implement

25. Dull and tedious

26. Species of pier

27. Act of lending

28. Shoshonean Indian

29. Band on a barrel

30. Bromine (sym.)

32. Sodium (sym.)

33. Movable barrier

34. A wing

35. A marked path

37. Kind of architecture

38. Embraced the opinions of one against another

DOWN

1. Calculated

2. Singing voice

3. Parrot (N. Z.)

4. Special business trips

6. Storm

7. Japanese sash

8. Residences of kings

9. Island E. of Java

11. Tidily

16. Female deer

19. Kind of nut

20. An age

21. Spork

22. Tighten, as tackle

23. Mocks

24. Province (Can.)

25. Rather poor

27. A game at cards

28. Grasses

30. Unable to see

31. Contest of speed

33. Perished

34. Source of indigo

36. Affix

38. Open (poet.)

WELL, THERE GOES TIM TO HUNT A MAN-KILLING LION WHILE I PLAY DOGCATCHER.

LATER...

WHERE'D THE BIG STRONG BAGGIES COME FROM JASS?

THEY DON'T LOOK VERY COMFORTABLE, BUT IF I'M TO CATCH THAT DOG I'VE GOT TO SPEND THE NIGHT IN ONE!

MUGGS McGINNIS

WELL, HERE WE GO AGAIN! NOW WE'RE OFF ON A SEARCH FOR A PROCESS TO DESALT SEA WATER!

I READ IT IN THE PAPERS SEVERAL WEEKS AGO!

PROGRESS, LIKE WATCHING CHILDREN GROW UP IS ALWAYS A LITTLE FRIGHTENING PA!

NEXT, I SUPPOSE, WE'LL BE TRYING TO DESALT TEARS SO SAD PEOPLE CAN CRY FRESH WATER!

...BEFORE I HAVE TO START WORKING ON A PROCESS TO DESALT YOUR LANGUAGE!

BRICK BRADFORD

ALL VIOLENCE SEEMS TO HAVE GONE OUT OF THE IRON MAN... BEHOLD!

ONCE AGAIN THE PORT IN THE IRON MAN'S TORSO OPENS... AND BRICK STEPS OUT.

PLACE ME IN THE PLAZA, ULK!

VISITOR BRADFORD HAS MASTERED THE IRON MAN FROM SPACE!

ETTA KETT

INDIAN SUMMER! SOFT WARM DAYS. TIME TO THINK ABOUT A WINTER VACATION!

BETTER GET UP IN YOUR STUDIES, YOUNG LADY. WE'RE GOING SOUTH ON A TRIP. JUST LIE ON THE BEACH FOR A MONTH!

SOUNDS LUSH!

I'VE MADE UP MY MIND. TOMORROW I'M GOING TO WRITE FOR RESERVATIONS.

BUT, DAD, WHY GO TO ALL THAT TROUBLE?

UNTIL MOM DECIDES WHERE WE'RE REALLY GOING.

BIG SISTER

MERCIFUL HEAVENS! NOW WOULDNT THOSE CHILDREN DO JUST THAT? SET OUT TO FIND ME BY WALKING.

NOW THEY'RE WANDERING AROUND THIS EARTH. HEAVEN KNOWS WHERE. MY WORK CAN WAIT. I'VE GOT TO FIND THOSE YOUNGSTERS.

TO TELL THE TRUTH I'M NOT AS WORRIED AS ONE MIGHT THINK. THEY KNOW HOW TO LOOK AFTER THEMSELVES. BUT THEY'VE GOT TO BE LOCATED.

AUTO-MOBILES RENTED

BARNEY GOOGLE & SNUFFY SMITH

OH, LAWSY!! ME AN' CRICKET WENT AROUND AN' AROUND, TRYIN' TO FIGGER OUT A CALLIN' NAME FER TH' NEW YOUNG-UN, SNUFFY.

YE TOMFOOL IDJIT!! WHY DON'T YE WAIT TILL TH' LITTLE VARMINT GIT'S HERE?

OH, SHORE!! WE AIM TO WAIT. BUT ENYHOW WE GOT IT BOILED DOWN TO THREE NAMES.

WHAT ARE THEY, RIDDLES? I AIN'T HAD ME A GOOD CHOKIN' LAFF TH' LIVELONG DAY.

WAAL-- IT'S BETWIXT SAMANTHY, JANEE BEE AN' LUCY BELLE.

HOW ABOUT ADDIN' TH' NAME SNUFFY TO TH' LIST--- JIST IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY?

THE LONE RANGER

THE LONE RANGER AND TONTO HEAD FOR THE JAIL TO TRY TO PERSUADE KILLEEN TO TELL WHERE HE HAD STOLEN CASH.

THE NEW DEPUTY'S IN THERE ALONE.

NO ONE'S IN SIGHT!

MEANWHILE, THE KILLER IS TO BE TAKEN FROM THE JAIL BY PALS.

MICKEY MOUSE

MORNING, GOOFY!

MORNIN' PAPER, MICKEY!

YOU'RE ALL WET UP IN THUR MORNIN' PAPER, MICKEY!

LOCAL CITIZEN RETURNS HOME WITH ENORMOUS TREASURE OF BLACK PEARLS!

THEY DON'T MENTION THAT I TURNED THE PEARLS OVER TO THE GOVERNMENT!

OH, NO! LOOKS LIKE THEY THINK YOU'RE RICH!

FELIX THE CAT

I MUST GET DAT WEATHER CONTROL!

A QUICK SWITCH TO 'STORM' WILL DISARM HIM!

CLICK

THAT STOPPED HIM!

WELL, THERE GOES TIM TO HUNT A MAN-KILLING LION WHILE I PLAY DOGCATCHER.

LATER...

WHERE'D THE BIG STRONG BAGGIES COME FROM JASS?

THEY DON'T LOOK VERY COMFORTABLE, BUT IF I'M TO CATCH THAT DOG I'VE GOT TO SPEND THE NIGHT IN ONE!

MUGGS McGINNIS

WELL, HERE WE GO AGAIN! NOW WE'RE OFF ON A SEARCH FOR A PROCESS TO DESALT SEA WATER!

I READ IT IN THE PAPERS SEVERAL WEEKS AGO!

PROGRESS, LIKE WATCHING CHILDREN GROW UP IS ALWAYS A LITTLE FRIGHTENING PA!

NEXT, I SUPPOSE, WE'LL BE TRYING TO DESALT TEARS SO SAD PEOPLE CAN CRY FRESH WATER!

...BEFORE I HAVE TO START WORKING ON A PROCESS TO DESALT YOUR LANGUAGE!

BRICK BRADFORD

ALL VIOLENCE SEEMS TO HAVE GONE OUT OF THE IRON MAN... BEHOLD!

ONCE AGAIN THE PORT IN THE IRON MAN'S TORSO OPENS... AND BRICK STEPS OUT.

PLACE ME IN THE PLAZA, ULK!

VISITOR BRADFORD HAS MASTERED THE IRON MAN FROM SPACE!

ETTA KETT

INDIAN SUMMER! SOFT WARM DAYS. TIME TO THINK ABOUT A WINTER VACATION!

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Time Channel No. Program

12:00 P. M. 6 Continuous Theater

12:45 P. M. 10 Movie of Week

1:00 P. M. 3 Hollywood Playhouse

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By BENNETT CERF

THE LATE Lord Duveen, most spectacular art dealer of our time, operated on the theory that Europe had plenty of art while America had plenty of money--and that it was his job to provide better balance. He sold one client--Jules Bache--so many expensive paintings that when Miss Green, director of the Morgan Library, first saw the Bache collection she murmured, "How utterly Duveen!" S. N. Behrman, who has written Duveen's story, says that he made millionaire clients seek him out; he never made the first approach. Informed, for instance, that Edsel Ford had begun to acquire an expensive art collection, Duveen observed loftily: "He's not ready for me yet. Let him go on buying. Some day he'll be big enough for me!" Some of Duveen's clients--Mellon, Rockefeller, Frick, Morgan, Kress--thought nothing of paying him half a million dollars for an art masterpiece. They agreed with his oft-proclaimed theory that "you can get all the pictures you want at ten thousand dollars apiece--but to find ones worth half a million--I say, that takes doing!"

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The Rains Are Here And More Are Coming

How will the winter rains find you fixed for good reliable transportation? Are you going to drive your old jalopy and take a chance on getting wrecked and injuring yourself and others?

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A Cryptogram Quotation

VFFG OHFOXH RXX. FZ HUHCE WFCN. VBUH HRC DKNF SE WPKV. -VFXGWSBNM.

Yesterday's Cryptogram--PRETTY POLLY. SAY, WHEN I WAS AWAY, DID YOUR FANCY NEVER STRAY TO SOME NEWER LOVER--GAY.

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Pottstown's Finest

Hope for the future lies in Pottstown's schools. The Mercury is publishing pictures of Pottstown's finest, the children in our schools. Every day a new room of school children will be shown here. Save the series, and enjoy them anew in future years.



—Mercury Staff Photo

With almost half the members of this Sixth grade class at the Franklin school sporting "Safety Patrol" badges, the rest of the pupils have little cause to worry when crossing busy street intersections. Introducing teacher, William E. Bitler's safety-conscious charges, they are, left to right in the first row, Thomas Chiyka, Joanne Leisser, Charles Erb, Thomas Wright, Thomas Leightcap, Richard Sechrist,

Ronald Yosi, George Parvenski, David Leh and Jan Fritz. Second row, in the same order shows Bonnie Fleisher, Linda Sandquist, David Smith, Carolyn Bertollet, Carol Binder, Madeline Kalamon, Joan Wager and Margaret Scheffey. In the third row, left to right, are Eilyn Leblang, Donna Ewing, Mary Alice McCabe, Barbara Bartman, Sally Edwards, Sandra Kruk and Suzanne Kruk.

2d Roosevelt Son Announces for Ike

NEW YORK, Oct. 8 (AP) — John Roosevelt, youngest son of the late Democratic president, said today he's for Republican Dwight D. Eisenhower for President, and will make a speech for him Nov. 2 in New Haven, Conn.

Roosevelt, a distributor of cosmetics and soaps, said he voted for Thomas E. Dewey, the GOP candidate in 1948. Before that he

backed his father, Franklin D. Stevenson.

Two other sons of the late president, James Roosevelt and Rep. Franklin D. Roosevelt (D-Lib-NY), are working for Eisenhower's Democratic opponent, Gov. Adlai E.

A fourth, Elliott, said in July he

hoped to vote for Eisenhower.

John Roosevelt said of the family

split:

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28 From Area Slated to Serve on Criminal Court Jury

The names of 28 Pottstown area men and women were drawn for criminal court jury service for the week beginning Nov. 3, it was announced yesterday.

Those serving as jurors for the week are Frank Anderson, 834 High street; Arthur H. Becker, Kulpsville; George Bell, 161 North Hanover street; Walter R. Beltz, Schwenksville RD; Theodore W. Bradford, Pennsburg RD.

Also, S. E. Buckwalter, Pottstown RD 4; Lillian M. Cox, 435 Main street; Trappe; Lulu M. Detwiler, 214 North York street; Mildred Dunfee, Ziesler; Mildred Franks, 21 Main street; Trappe; Mary M. Frederick, 403 South Fourth avenue, Royersford.

Also, Marjorie Freeman, East Seventh avenue, Trappe; Samuel Fry, Linfield; Russell Geiger, Gilbertsville; Anna K. Geiser, 605 Washington street, Royersford; Harry G. Gingrich, 1015 North Charlotte street; John Healy, High and Adams streets.

Also, ISAAC HUNSBERGER, Limerick; Lillian Isett, Church street, Royersford; Stella Johnson, 46 East Second street; J. Evans Koons, 1469 Cherry lane; Alice Mellon, Spring Mount; Katie Mellon, Collegeville; Eva Moser, 214 Chestnut street; Nancy Nussear, 328 Main street, Collegeville, Florence Platts, Collegeville RD 2.

Also, Allen Renninger, Gilbertsville RD; Minnie Urner, 3005 Spring street, Royersford; and Lynn Yost, 24 First avenue, Collegeville.

CASUALTIES INCREASE
WASHINGTON, Oct. 8 (AP) — Announced US battle casualties in Korea reached 120,269 today, an increase of 890 since the past week.

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Turnpike Commission Will Call for Bids

HARRISBURG, Oct. 8 (AP) — The Pennsylvania Turnpike commission intends to call for bids Friday on the first construction project of the super-highway's Delaware river extension.

The 33-mile connecting link will stretch from King of Prussia, Montgomery county, to the Delaware river and is the final section in the toll road's west-east crossing of the State.

The commission announced that bids for the first construction project of 1 1/4 miles in Upper Merion township, Montgomery county, will be opened here Oct. 30. The project is located near the Chester-Montgomery county line.

A completion date for the entire extension has not been given by the commission but a spokesman estimated it would be finished within two years.

Bishop in Ohio Notes New Interest in Bible

HARRISBURG, Oct. 8 (AP) — An Ohio bishop noted unusual renewal of interest in the Holy Bible today in a speech to Sunday school teachers of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Fred L. Dennis, Dayton, bishop of the Evangelical United Brethren church, said:

"In the United States of America we are in the midst of a movement which has the earmarks of a revival. We are witnessing a renewal of interest in the Holy Bible such as we have not seen in the lifetime of the passing generation."

His speech was the sermon for the 90th annual convention of Pennsylvania State Sabbath School association.

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RAF PLANE CRASHES
INVERNESS, Scotland, Oct. 8 (AP) — A Royal Air Force plane crashed into the sea while on Airgasca firing practice today and it was feared that all 14 men aboard perished.

Overweight people are more apt to have high blood pressure, statisticians of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. have discovered.

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Steel Draftsmen Awarded Wage Hike

Draftsmen at the Bethlehem Steel company plant have won a 10 percent wage increase retroactive to March 1, 1932 as a part of their new contract.

Alexander Downie, president of Local 97, Draftsman's Guild, American Federation of Technical Engineers (AFL), said last night that the contract between the Local and the Pottstown plant, will run until June 30, 1934. The contract went into effect the past Oct. 1.

Other provisions of the contract are three weeks vacation for 15 years service, six paid holidays a year and change of pay days from twice a month to every other week.

A provision for reopening the contract for wage negotiations on May 1, 1933 and provision for a union shop with the checkoff system are other benefits of the contract, which was ratified by the local membership the past month.

LODGE CEREMONIES

(Continued From Page One)

Christopher Hollenbach.

About 200 Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and friends attended the ceremonies, which began at 8 p. m. A business meeting was held by the Rebekah Lodge at 7:30 p. m. presided over by Noble Grand LaRue Seifert.

Other Rebekah officers installed were: Mrs. Jane Dotterer, vice-grand; Mrs. Miriam Moore, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Marie L. Chm. a. n. financial secretary; Helen Henricks, treasurer; Mrs. Ruth Boens, warden.

Also, Mrs. Viola Stuart, conductor; Mrs. Florence Budd, chaplain; Mrs. Ida Mease, musician; Mrs. Margaret Fredericks, color bearer; Mrs. Daisy Henry, right support to the noble grand; Mrs. Lottie Gehris, left support to the noble grand; Mrs. Alice Swartwood, right support to the vice grand; Mrs. Ann Sweetwood, left support to the vice grand; Mrs. Ada Lilly, inside guard; and Mrs. Frances Bower, outside guard.

Manatwny officers installed in addition to the noble grand were: James F. Kuhn, warden; Ralph Shaner, conductor; H. Donald Shaffer, chaplain; W. Brooke Whitman Sr., right scene supporter; Edwin Hollenbach, left scene supporter; John C. Henry, right supporter to the noble grand.

Also Alfred D. Barndt, left supporter to the noble grand; Arthur Schmoeyer, right supporter to the vice grand; Ray C. Sweetwood, left supporter to the vice grand; Leon Sassaman, inside guardian, and William D. Focht, outside guardian.

CHURCH FIRE

(Continued From Page One)

altar to buckle, peeled paint off benches 15 feet from the altar, and blackened the buff walls and ceiling throughout most of the nave.

It also melted window locks so that they broke off easily when firemen attempted to open the windows after the fire had been extinguished.

Though damaged by heat and water, the Bible stand and one of three heavy, carved chairs were the only items on the altar saved from the flames by firemen.

Kenneth Comstock, a trustee of the church and farm superintendent at the Devereaux school in Glen Moore, a mile west of the church, discovered the fire while driving past the church.

SEEING SMOKE billowing from the windows and belfry, he sped to Glen Moore and turned in the alarm. The alarm was given then to the other five companies.

Neighboring farmers aided the firemen by filling milk cans with water at the creek, and emptying them into the pumper at the scene.

The church was founded in 1839 and rebuilt in 1871.

Since the resignation of the Rev. David Stewart a year ago, supply pastors have been conducting the church services. The Rev. Stewart, who was pastor more than 20 years, resigned to accept a charge in Wyoming.

PERU STRIKE OVER

LIMA, Peru, Oct. 8 (AP)—The 3500 employees of the Central railway of Peru who went on strike the past week for a 50 percent wage increase went back to work today after getting a 20 percent hike.

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RAPE CASE —

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mother and daughter. He said they were said to be from the Douglassville area.

Guldin said the truck was reported to have been a late model gray pick-up truck. He said it was probably a new truck.

THE VICTIM, whose name The Mercury is withholding in consideration of her age and her shocked condition, described her assailant to The Mercury yesterday.

She said the man was tall, weighing about 200 pounds, wearing a brown suit, brown polka-dot tie and brown felt hat.

She described him further as stout, especially heavy around the waist, had gray hair, combed straight back on his head. She could never forget his face, she said.

"Sometimes when I sit down alone, I see him there before me," she said between sobs which convulsed her small body. "I don't know why a person has to go through something like this. It's terrifying to think of it."

\$300 BAIL —

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Still in a visible state of shock, the victim brought out the clothing she had worn. The light print dress was covered in spots with mud from the river into which she was pushed by her attacker. A black coat which she wore was also covered with mud and was torn.

SHE SAID she accepted a ride Tuesday morning from the gray-haired driver who also had two women in the car. When she told the man she was going to visit a North Hanover street doctor, the man told her he, too, was going to see the same physician, and offered to drive her there.

Chief Guldin is seeking the two women who he believes can identify the driver since they addressed him as "Al" when they left the car at the northeast intersection of High and Hanover streets. The women were described as tall, slimly-built attractive women wearing dark clothing.

The Norco police officer has made an appeal for the two women to come forward to identify the driver of the car.

Guldin said he believes the attacker may have been an automobile dealer because of the ease with which he snapped off the license plates from the auto at the time of the attack.

The attacker took the victim to a lonely spot on Route 83 around noon Tuesday and following an unsuccessful attempt to rape her, pushed his victim into the river.

In addition to her shocked condition, the victim suffered bruises and cuts around her legs and knees. She also said she is suffering from a stiffness about her neck and head, which might have been caused by a blow administered by her attacker.

Borough Area Men Named to Oil Group

Ten Pottstown area men were among officers elected by the Montgomery County division, Associated Petroleum Industries of Pennsylvania, in Norristown yesterday.

Elected chairman was Edward J. Sweeney, Pottstown. Among those named to the legislative committee were Glenwood Frohneiser, Giltbertville; George Mowrey, Spring City; Kenneth B. Nace, Collegeville, and Walter F. Schwab, Pottstown.

Area electees on the public relations committee are Markley Ruth, Collegeville, and Harold Weber, Pottstown.

The local affairs committee includes John B. Hartenstine Jr., Pottstown; Kenneth Buchert, Sana-toga; C. Raymond Eppehimer, Pottstown, and J. E. Miller, Schwenksville.

Three Steel Firms Get Stiff OPS Fine

Phoenix Iron and Steel company, Phoenixville; Barium Steel company, New York, and Capital Iron and Steel company, Harrisburg, have agreed to pay \$1,011.123 to settle charges of price ceiling violations, the Government announced yesterday.

Jacobs Aircraft Engine company, Queen and Madison streets, is a member of the Barium group.

The actual amount of the overcharges was \$119,931.48 and the remainder of the payment is a penalty, the Office of Price Stabilization said.

Lambert S. O'Malley, enforcement chief for the OPS, said this was the largest settlement since OPS began operations in December, 1930. Another official said the next largest settlement was less than \$100,000.

The three companies are interrelated through stock ownership.

Jacobs Aircraft officials were not available for comment last night.

Truck Goes Off Road; Amity School Opens

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The accident occurred at approximately 10 o'clock, a few feet on the Upper Providence side of the township line.

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Amity township Consolidated school was reopened yesterday after a two-day anti-polio cleanup program.

Michael C. Billett, supervising principal, announced closure of the school Monday and Tuesday as the result of a polio case in the First grade.

Janet Gross, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gross, Douglassville RD 2, was admitted to Reading hospital on Friday with polio. She was placed in an iron lung Saturday.

The janitorial force and half dozen volunteers aired and scrubbed the school Monday and Tuesday.

Billett reported last night attendance was normal. Approximately 98 percent of the enrolment of 452 returned to classroom.

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—Mercury Staff Photo

The thrill of becoming a grandmother is just an old habit now for Mrs. James Binczak, (right), 1116 Sembling avenue, who has seven grandchildren at 45 and expects an eighth one in December. Mrs. Binczak was awarded her first grandchild at the age of 38, when 7-year-old Candy Binczak, daughter of her son Thomas, was born. Seen posing with her in the picture are daughter, Mrs. Thomas Shusko, Road "B," Hilldale, and grandchildren Carol Ann, 3, and Rita Ann, 7 months.

His Voice on Trial, Man Sings Evidence

VIENNA, Oct. 8 (AP)—An opera singer today defended his artistic reputation by singing arias before an Austrian court, and the judge accompanied him on the piano.

Jovan Gligor, a 37-year-old Yugoslav baritone, whose contract with the Vienna State opera was canceled when his first two performances displeased the authorities, filed a damage suit against the Federal theater administration.

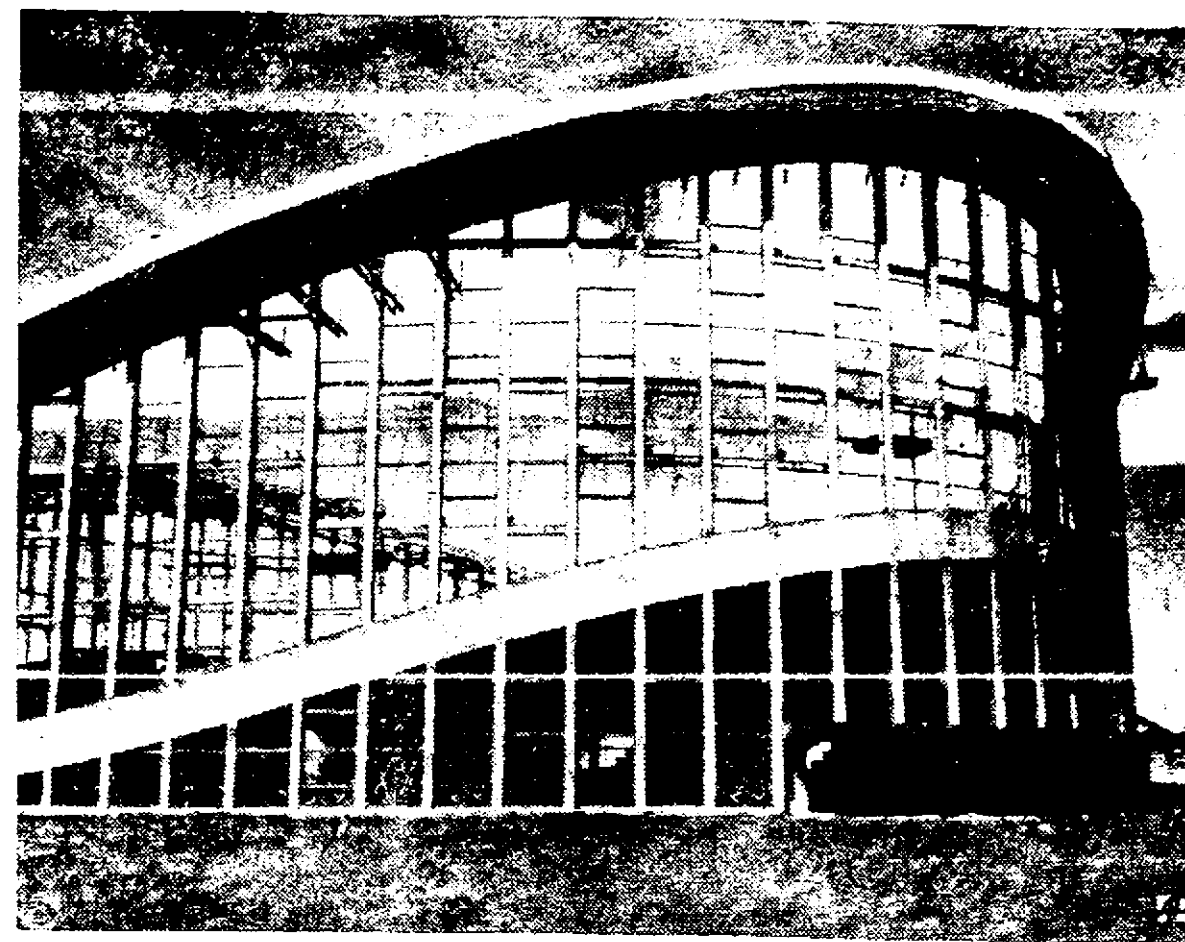
Claiming more than 100,000 Austrian schillings (\$3846) in damages, Gligor offered to sing before the court to justify his qualities.

Accepting his offer, the court transferred today to the Vienna Concert hall and listened to arias from "Aida" and "Madame Butterfly" sung by Gligor with the presiding judge accompanying him on the piano.

The singer's performance roused spectators and court reporters to loud cheers. One of the female lay judges kissed Gligor on both cheeks.

For the past 11 years church membership in the United States has increased about 2 percent a year.

Flying Saucer on Glass Platform



This is the new livestock judging pavilion, nearly completed on the North Carolina State Fair grounds at Raleigh.

Optimists to Meet Tonight

Joseph Croft, Tredyffrin township, will speak on water-proofing problems before the Optimist club at its weekly dinner meeting in the Clover Leaf restaurant tonight.

STRIKERS PENALIZED
BUENOS AIRES, Argentina, Oct. 8 (AP)—Striking engineering students were told by the Government today they can't take examinations and graduate until further notice, as a penalty for their strike.

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OBITUARIES

MRS. FLORENCE ELEANOR and Eleanor (Karpinski) Hoffman, 60, ELVERSON, wife of 41 HILLTOP ROAD, died at home yesterday morning at 7:30 o'clock.

Surviving are a brother, Warren Jr., 10; two sisters, Judith A., 9, her home yesterday morning, and Constance R., 6; the paternal grandmother, Mrs. Anna Hoffman, 12 Chestnut street, and the maternal grandfather, George Karpinski, Vincent road, Phoenixville.

Funeral arrangements, incomplete yesterday, are in charge of a funeral home at 258 Beech street.

Services for **EMMA N. (GLASE) KOCHER**, widow of Harvey B. Kocher, 512 NORTH EVANS STREET, were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from a funeral home at 359 King street.

Officiating was the Rev. Donald R. Schaffer, pastor of Reformation Exangelical Lutheran church, Reiffton. Interment was made in Mt. Zion cemetery.

Bearers were Ralph C. Kocher, Chester B. Kuechler, Paul A. Kuechler, Clarence F. Bechtel, Lester Verger and Lester P. Verger.

Funeral services for **PETER LEWISKI**, who died as a result of injuries sustained in a work accident at the Bethlehem Steel company plant Tuesday, will be held from his late residence at 34 WALNUT STREET Saturday at 8:30 a. m.

A Requiem High Mass will follow at St. John's Catholic church of the Greek Rite. The Rev. John D. Taptich, rector, will officiate. Interment will be made in the church cemetery.

CHRISTINE M. HOFFMAN, 3 months-old daughter of Warren

Body of Soldier, 19, On Way Home From Korean War Front

The body of a 19-year-old Birdsboro youth killed in Korea is being returned to this country aboard the "Beaver Victory," the Department of Defense announced yesterday.

He is Ralph W. Doaty, a corporal in the Marine Corps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Doaty, 749 Main street, Birdsboro.

His parents were notified the past Aug. 22 that he was killed in action 13 days earlier. Since their first notification, the parents learned that their son had been with a mine detail that was attacked unexpectedly, and that he was killed almost instantly by small-arms fire.

Corp. Doaty was in Toryam, on the Western front.

THE SHIP bringing his body home is expected to dock at the Chester B. Kuechler, Paul A. Kuechler, Clarence F. Bechtel, Lester Verger and Lester P. Verger.

Funeral arrangements are in charge of a funeral home at 433 East First street, Birdsboro.

ESTATE BOUGHT
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8 (AP)—The Lower Merion township estate of the late J. Hector McNeal has been purchased by father Divine for \$75,000, it was announced today.

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'White Supremacy' Idea Charged to Democrats

NEW YORK, Oct. 8 (AP)—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey charged tonight the Democratic ballot of Stevenson-Sparkman in Alabama bears a spelled-out slogan of "White supremacy."

He displayed to a statewide television audience what he said was the official 1952 ballot for Alabama and said:

"There it is—the rooster and the banner of White supremacy—Ku Klux Klan—Jim Crow banner—flying over the electors for Stevenson and Sparkman in this year 1952."

Boy Scouts Postpone Hike and Cookout for Some Area Activities

Boy Scouts of Pottstown Civic League, Troop 17 decided last night postpone their hike and cookout, Ringing Rocks Saturday.

The Scouts made the change in plans when they met in their new out house on Hale street, near Second Baptist church.

Scoutmaster Abraham Blakely said after the meeting that the Scouts will concentrate on their home area activities this week. These include distributing doorknob hangers announcing the industrial show in the King street armory and selling magazines to raise money for Scout supplies.

New furniture added to the recently painted Scout house includes a cupboard, typewriter desk and several chairs. Some of the furnishings were made by the Scouts themselves.

Scouts who recently attained Tenderfoot rank in Troop 17 are Warner Rogers, Thomas Corum and Skipper Jackson.

James Watkins is assistant scoutmaster of the troop. The troop committee is headed by Francis Banks. Other committee members are Charles Prince, treasurer; Eddie Davis, secretary, and Charles Gillis.

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Tide - Fab - Cheer	pkg.	28c	Crisp Pascal
Peter Pan Peanut Butter	glass	32c	CELERY
Scot Toilet Tissue	2 rolls	21c	Lge. Stalk
WEAR-ALUMINUM WRAP	roll	23c	19c
M & M Candy	family size bag	25c	
NORRIS GOLDEN CORN	2 cans	35c	Crisp California
Norris Coffee	Drip or Regular	87c	CARROTS
Green Giant Peas	2 cans	39c	19c pkg.
Starkist Tuna	can	29c	
Norris Pineapple Chunks	No. 2 1/2 can	29c	Freestone Italian
Seabrook Frosted Peas	2 pkgs.	39c	PRUNES
Donald Duck Orange Juice	2 cans	37c	2 lbs. 35c
Dole's Frosted Pineapple Juice	can	21c	
Frosted Mixed Vegetables	2 pkgs.	39c	
Donald Duck Grapefruit Juice	2 cans	29c	

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Pottstown Realtor Expected to Become Business Club Head

Joe L. Bowen, Pottstown realtor, expects to have the American Business club's State governorship in his pocket when he returns from the organization's district convention in Lancaster Saturday night. Gordon Landrath, Lancaster, immediate past national president of the ABC, will nominate Bowen for the post. Vernon Brooks, Norristown, is running for governor of the district of the club comprising Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

Two hundred delegates from the two States are expected to attend the convention, which begins tomorrow night with a party sponsored by the Lancaster club.

Election of officers will be conducted at the 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. business session Saturday. Wives of the delegates will be entertained at tea Saturday noon.

Then they will visit the home of James Buchanan, the 15th President of the United States and the only president from Pennsylvania. Saturday night there will be a banquet for the delegates and their wives. Officers will be installed at the banquet.

DONATION DAY —

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children forgot to bring today.

ALBERT P. POLLOCK, hospital administrator, said all the food will be sorted and packed Saturday morning by members of the junior auxiliary under the supervision of hospital dietitians. For the past week, all empty cartons and boxes have been laid aside in anticipation of Donation Day.

In accommodating space for the food, everything movable has been cleared from the sewing room in the nurses' home where the gifts will be stored.

"But prior to storing we must price all the items," Pollock explained. "The total must be submitted to the State Department of Homes and Hospitals under the heading of financial contributions." The total value of the past year's donations was \$848.

Pollock said that among the past year's gifts were 154 pumpkins, making enough pie for all at the hospital, 500 pounds of potatoes, 1432 cans of assorted soups, 498 cans of peas, and 330 cans of corn.

"THERE WERE bags of pretzels, peanuts and some children who forgot to bring something from home threw their lunches in, with others donating their lunch money," Pollock said.

The event is being sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the hospital under the co-chairmanship of Mrs. George Yocum and Mrs. Harry Loughney.

Approximately 20 members of the auxiliary visited the schools during the past week to speak to pupils and teachers about Donation Day.

The following schools are participating in the event: all Pottstown elementary schools, the Pottstown Senior and Junior High schools, parochial schools, West Pottsgrove, Sanatoga, Lower Pottsgrove, Limerick township, East Coventry consolidated, Pine Forge, Amityville, North Coventry, Monocacy, Mock, Houck, Obelisk church school, Congo, Boyertown, Gilbertsville, Upper Pottsgrove, Douglass township, Colebrookdale, Warwick and South Coventry.

TWO INJURED —

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a left turn onto South Washington street while another car was making a left turn onto North Washington street. Mrs. Groth was heading east on High street in the first lane of traffic and hit his car in the right rear fender and right side.

Mrs. Groth said she was going east on High street in the first lane when Stoudt's vehicle made a left turn on South Washington street and the collision took place. The right side and right rear fender of the Stoudt car were damaged. The right front headlight, grill, bumper and radiator were damaged on the Groth coupe, which was towed away from the scene.

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Irvin DeHaven (right), Boyertown RD 2, and George Boyer, Shoe-maker road, take time from their building-wrecking to catch up on the latest political news of 1838. While tearing down partitions in a little old store building at 203 North York street, they found a pile of old newspapers and receipts. The papers spoke of Republican prosperity. The receipts spoke of pea coal at \$1.10 a quarter-ton.

UNITED FUND —

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the campaign by speaking before Pottstown area organizations.

Robert B. Conner, Robert E. Garber, John A. Shaner and Leonard A. Keffer comprise the labor participation committee. Conner, as co-chairman with Floyd S. Sisto of the industrial division, has charge of the labor section of that division.

Three groups in the division will contact 80 firms.

Elmer Jackson heads the budget and admissions committee and employees of borough banks comprise the auditing committee. Thomas A. McCaslin 3d and Benjamin H. Longaker are co-chairmen of the classified division, which will canvass chiefly the central-borough business district.

This division includes four groups of four teams each.

CHARLES R. WYLIE is chairman of the advance gifts committee. He plans to address the boards of directors of UP agencies and inform them 100 percent co-operation from each board will be necessary if the campaign is to succeed.

Mrs. Jane Lord heads the residential division, which includes two groups. Then ten wards of the borough will be divided between these groups for solicitation. The committee also will handle small businesses not in the central business district.

Maitland McHenry will direct the campaign in the townships surrounding the borough. A campaign and executive committee comprises all division and committee heads and these advisors:

J. Alfred Marquet, UP president; Jack Hoffman, vice president; E. T. Handley, Dr. Gustave W. Weber, Robert Jeffries, C. J. Keiser, Mrs. James I. Wendell Sr., William A. O'Donnell Jr., Robert Heffner, Dr. Jesse G. Hafer, Mrs. Ruth Ash, Mrs. Elizabeth Elicker and Edward T. Hall.

Penguins often will brood a small rock or piece of ice, mistaking it for an egg.

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PUMPKIN CROP —

benefited by Betty's pumpkin harvest.

Schmutz, who works at the U.S. Axle plant, on the third shift, considers gardening and in particular pumpkin raising a diversion and relaxation.

Because of his hours he has plenty of time to man the hoe under Summer's hot sun.

THE PUMPKIN had started four years ago when the family moved to Sembling avenue. Seeds dropped in the garden one winter produced the first pumpkins.

Underneath in the shade of crawling pumpkin vines, cucumbers thrived, but watermelons and cantaloupes were starved out by the hungry pumpkin roots.

Giant red beets, thick carrots and other vegetables were grown in the Schmutz garden, but the pumpkins received the most attention.

Mrs. Schmutz said with a sigh, "I'll have to bake pumpkin pies for the holidays. We always have them on Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year."

"We'll probably give away a good many more. We never sell them because we don't know how much they are worth. There were only two spoiled by the frost this past Saturday morning and they were small."

LOOKING INTO the children's room next to the kitchen, Mrs. Schmutz explained, "You see what I mean. How can I keep things in order with all these pumpkins? One thing they won't do is take them in the living room."

She turned her head on two washtubs and a peach basket hanging full of the green necked pumpkins. At least a dozen more were mingled with the children's playthings on the floor.

She added with a good-natured grin, "When we get the pumpkins out of here I can clean up the place."

There are more than 17 living species of penguin.

Defective Continues Investigation Into Sanatoga Shooting

County Detective James V. Gleason yesterday continued the investigation into the shooting of Charles A. Barr, Lake road, Lower Pottsgrove township.

Gleason questioned members of the family on every aspect of the shooting, which sent young Barr to Memorial hospital in near shock and bleeding from a flesh wound below his lower rib.

Barr, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barr, went outside his home at approximately 2:45 o'clock this past Saturday morning when he said he heard a prowler.

He said he saw the doorknob in the kitchen turn, then got his shotgun and went outside. He was shot a few feet from the kitchen door in the moonlight. He was struck by a small caliber rifle slug.

A .22 caliber rifle owned by Paul Richard Barr, a brother, was confiscated by police. Also, they took the single barrel 12 gauge shotgun which the injured boy took with him when he went after the prowler.

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27 Poultry Retailers, Staffs, Take Training

Twenty-seven poultry retailers and their employees, the majority from Pottstown and vicinity, attended a poultry retail merchandising training school in Phoenixville last night.

Harold Rotzel, of the Poultry and Egg National board, demonstrated how to cut and package poultry for better retailing.

Elmo Undercoffler, of the Tri-County Egg auction, demonstrated egg candling and emphasized the importance of dealers selling candled eggs.

The staff of a Pottstown supermarket will be Rotzel's pupils at 7:30 tonight in the supermarket.

TRUCE TALKS —

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"an honest settlement" of the prisoner-of-war question.)

The Allies left it squarely up to the Communists to revive the negotiations or let them die over the one unsolved issue of repatriating prisoners of war.

ALLIED DELEGATES served notice on the Reds that they would not even journey to the Panmunjom conference table until the Communists say in advance what they wanted to talk about.

The recess was called by Lt. Gen. William K. Harrison, senior Allied negotiator, at the end of a 63-minute session.

Harrison led his fellow delegates out of the conference house amid an outburst of laughter from the entire North Korean and Chinese delegation. An Allied spokesman described the laughter as Communist face-saving.

Harrison told the Communist delegation the talks were recessed until the Communists either accept one of several Allied proposals for settling the stalemate over prisoners of war or make a "constructive proposal" of their own in writing.

"The United Nations command has no further proposals to make," he said.

The proposals we have made remain open. The United Nations command will not come here merely to listen to abuse and false propaganda.

In Tokyo, Gen. Mark Clark, Far East commander, took much the same position.

"We continue ready to conclude an armistice acceptable to the conscience of the free peoples," he said. "It is up to the Communists to show whether they too, want such an armistice."

SUPPORT PLEDGED

LONDON, Oct. 8 (AP) — Britain pledged support for France in resisting an Asian-African move to debate Tunisia and Morocco in the United Nations, an official source said tonight.

TRAIN WRECK —

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sons, about 600 of them in the commuters' cars.

HUNDREDS — MANY of them school children — were trapped under tons of debris. In their desperation, rescuers at first tore at the wreckage with bare hands.

Within minutes nearly 500 rescuers were at work. Doctors and nurses were helping the injured. Priests and the clergy were administering last rites to the dying. Housewives were bringing blankets and hot tea for the walking casualties.

US Air Force medical corpsmen from nearby bases carried those freed to a stream of waiting ambulances and worked heroically at administering first aid.

Policeman John McIntyre turned himself into a human jack to rescue those trapped women. He crawled into the debris and heaved up the broken side of a coach with his shoulders while others pulled out the women one by one.

Harrow station looked as though it had been blitzed.

Coaches smashed into other coaches, slivers of wood and metal sprayed over a wide area and flying glass sang through the air-like shrapnel.

Within seconds the station looked as if it had been hit in an air raid. Flying debris stopped the station clock at 8:19 a.m.

Pitiful reminders of what had started as routine commuting trips and holiday journeys lay scattered hundreds of yards from the torn and ripped tracks.

Here lay a woman's brown high heeled shoe. Here a hat. There a ripped jacket. A child's shoe, caught by its laces, dangled from a razor-edged piece of metal.

From the mangled coaches came

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the occasional screams of the injured—but mostly there was the silence of death.

A number of school children were believed among the dead.

A US service man was on the first death list issued by the state-owned British railways. His name was given as Donald G. Woodall of the US Air Force. His rank and home town were not stated.

Anthony V. Gregory, a portrait photographer who lives near the station, said:

"What struck me immediately was how oddly quiet it was. There was a hiss of escaping steam and low moans from people trapped in the cars. But there were few outcries."

Norco Grange to Hear Fire Prevention Lecture

North Coventry grange will hear a talk tonight on fire prevention by Frank Rowe, Pottstown expert on fire lighting equipment, at its meeting in the Grange hall at 8 o'clock.

Worthy Master Jack Walters will preside at a short business meeting before the program begins. Mrs. Nettie Hartmaier, lecturer, will direct the program.

The grange's plans for Pennsylvania Week also will be discussed.

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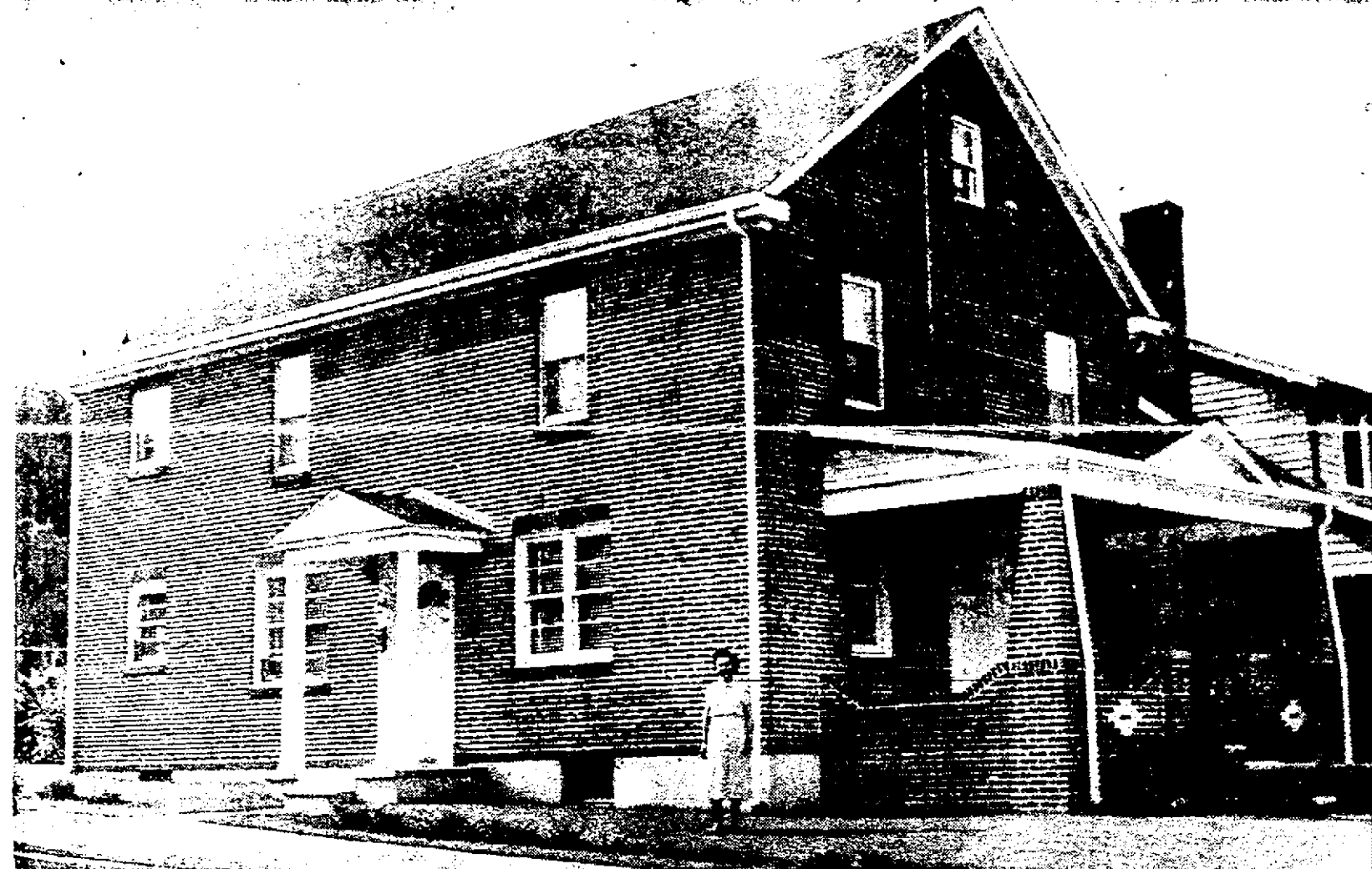
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"Just a little ambition" was the phrase used by Mrs. Anthony Falcone to describe what it took for her husband to set out to build this home of theirs at 826 North Evans street. With the help of his brother, Dan Falcone, Grosstown road, Stowe, he built it in a year of part-time work on weekends and in the morning (he is a second-shift worker for Spicer Manufacturing division.) The brothers, who had built the Stowe home together, too, did virtually all of the work themselves, including laying the sidewalk. The exceptions were such things as electrical and plumbing work. For Mr. and Mrs. Falcone,

it is an investment as well as a home. They live in the downstairs, rent the upstairs to Mr. and Mrs. Alan Lieb. The layout of both floors is the same—a living room that is 14½ by 15 feet, a den, kitchen, two bedrooms and bath. In the downstairs living room is an imitation fireplace of the same var-shades, rough-faced red brick used outside. Mrs. Falcone estimated they saved about half the cost by the brothers' system. The home was completely finished in September. In the Spring, Falcone will set out to build a garage. That's Mrs. Falcone by the right corner. She's facing Diamond street.

+++ SCHOOL DAYS +++

— In Pottstown Junior High School —

First Graders Learn To Ride Bus; Fourth Graders Study Globe

We have 32 boys and girls in our room. We are learning how to ride on the school bus, how to act in school and in the cafeteria.

We try to print our names and other letters. We draw, cut out pictures, and play with pegs, clay and blocks.

Some of us read pictures. We find the ones that are different, the same, and the biggest and smallest. This helps us learn to read.

The Bears Class has read its first book, "We Look and See". The Bears who can read are: Donna Strunk, Larry Powell, Jody Ramsdell, Ronald Buinevic, Walter Miller, Sandra Swavely, Charles Liss, Margaret Hunsberger, Barbara Lightcap, Rosana Sheidy, Cheryl Grace, Jean Cline, Carol Schmehl, Sandy Moyer and Nancy Sheetz.

GRADE 4
WE FIND different places on the globe. We also enjoyed drawing maps of Montgomery county. In 4B we brought in some products made in our county and a committee reported about them. They

Villian of Soap Opera Attacked by 2 Men

LIMA, Peru, Oct. 8 (AP)—Two men made a knife attack on an actor who portrays the villian in a popular radio soap opera as he left the studio last night.

They asked the actor, Carlos Egoaguirre, if he was the man "who made Maria Elena suffer so much." Maria Elena is the name of the heroine. Egoaguirre was slashed about the face and neck.

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Truck Strikes Pole; Shaft Knocked Loose

A pickup truck had its drive-shaft knocked loose when it skidded into a utility pole on Route 100 near North Coventry High school yesterday afternoon at 1:20 o'clock.

The driver, Lawrence Claus, 4B we are trying to prevent fires. We picked a fire chief for our room. Ronald Ux is our chief. The fire marshal for the school is Charles Peterman.

The State Police came to our school and showed us a movie about safety. They also talked about safety. They told us to ride our bicycles safely.

Life Made Easier For Nazi Prisoners

BONN, Germany, Oct. 8 (AP)—Life has been made easier for seven Nazis serving war crimes sentences in Spandau prison in Berlin, the Western Allies announced tonight.

The three Western high commissioners said they have obtained the agreement of Russian Gen. U. I. Chukov to more visits and letters for the one-time leaders of the Reich.

They can now have one visit every month instead of every two months and visits can last 30 instead of 15 minutes. They will also be allowed to write and receive one letter each week instead of every four weeks.

Seven prisoners affected are Rudolf Hess, Admiral Walter Doe-nitz, Admiral Erich Raeder, Baron Constantin Von Neurath, Baldu von Shirach, Walter Funk and Albert Speer.

School Directors Plug For Broad-Based Tax

HARRISBURG, Oct. 8 (AP)—The State School Directors association today urged the 1953 General Assembly to enact a broad-based tax but failed to choose between a flat income or sales levy.

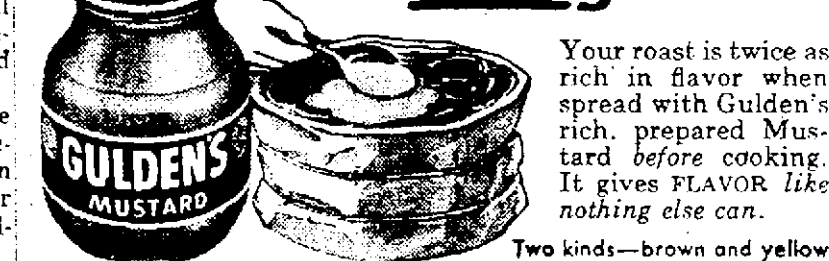
Nearly 2000 delegates wound up their 56th annual convention by unanimously passing a resolution approving "the levy of a broad-based tax to meet educational costs mandated by the 1951 session of the legislation."

The group's 300-member Legislative council said yesterday that 68 million dollars is needed next year to carry out school legislation in the 1953-55 biennium.

Local Woman's Estate Is Valued at \$3475

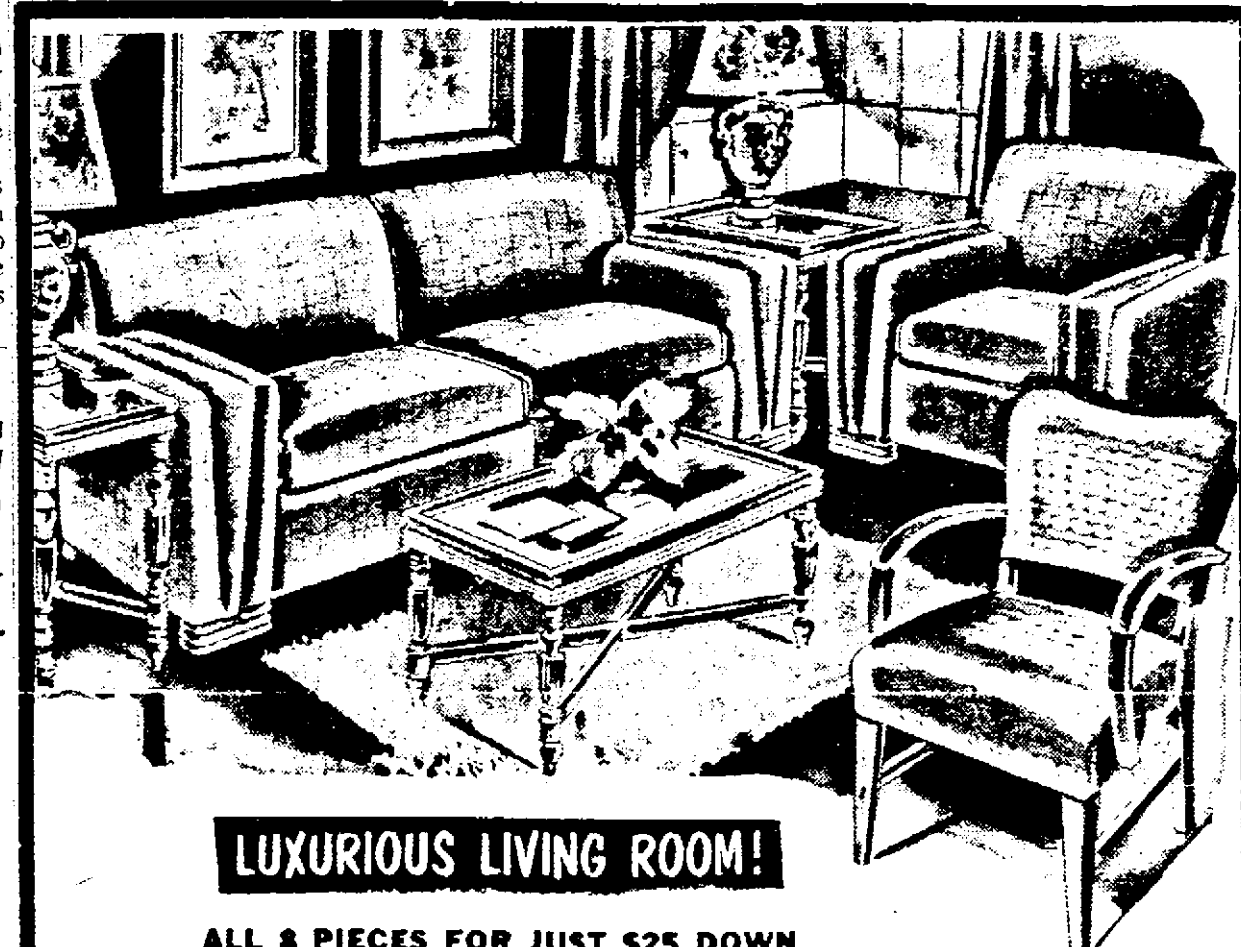
By Staff Correspondent
NORRISTOWN, Oct. 8—The estate of Emma K. Wright, Pottstown, Pennsylvania railroad grade crossing is valued at \$3475, according to an inventory filed in the office of the register of wills.

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Jury Acquits Man In Accident Case

By Staff Correspondent

NORRISTOWN, Oct. 8—A jury of 11 women and one man, sitting before Judge Harold G. Knight today, acquitted Kasimir Turza, of J. Miller, of Kenilworth, on Route 422 at Limerick.

The man was arrested on July 24 by Jeffersonville State Trooper Harry Nyman. It was alleged that Turza's truck, the night before, had struck a car belonging to Paul J. Miller, of Kenilworth, on Route 422 at Limerick.

Edward Everett talked for one hour and 57 minutes before Lincoln made his brief and famous Gettysburg Address at the dedication of a Civil War cemetery.

application for a demurrer on this count by his attorney, Robert Truckess, was sustained by the court at the conclusion of the Commonwealth's case.

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Polio Cases Showing Decline, Official Asserts

HARRISBURG, Oct. 8 (AP)—A Health department official said today that polio cases are showing an over-all decline, though the week of Sept. 28 to Oct. 4 was second highest this year for reported cases.

Dr. William D. Schrack Jr., of the Health Conservation bureau, Pennsylvania Telephone corporation, said cases reported the past week were 15 more than the 105 mark reached the week previous.

Schrack added, however, that it was still 32 lower than the season's high of 152 reported cases in the week Sept. 13 to 20.

Cold weather and frost have no effect on polio, Schrack said, adding "it is strictly a calendar affair." Cases start to decrease in October and drop to a few cases a week throughout the winter until March," he said.

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